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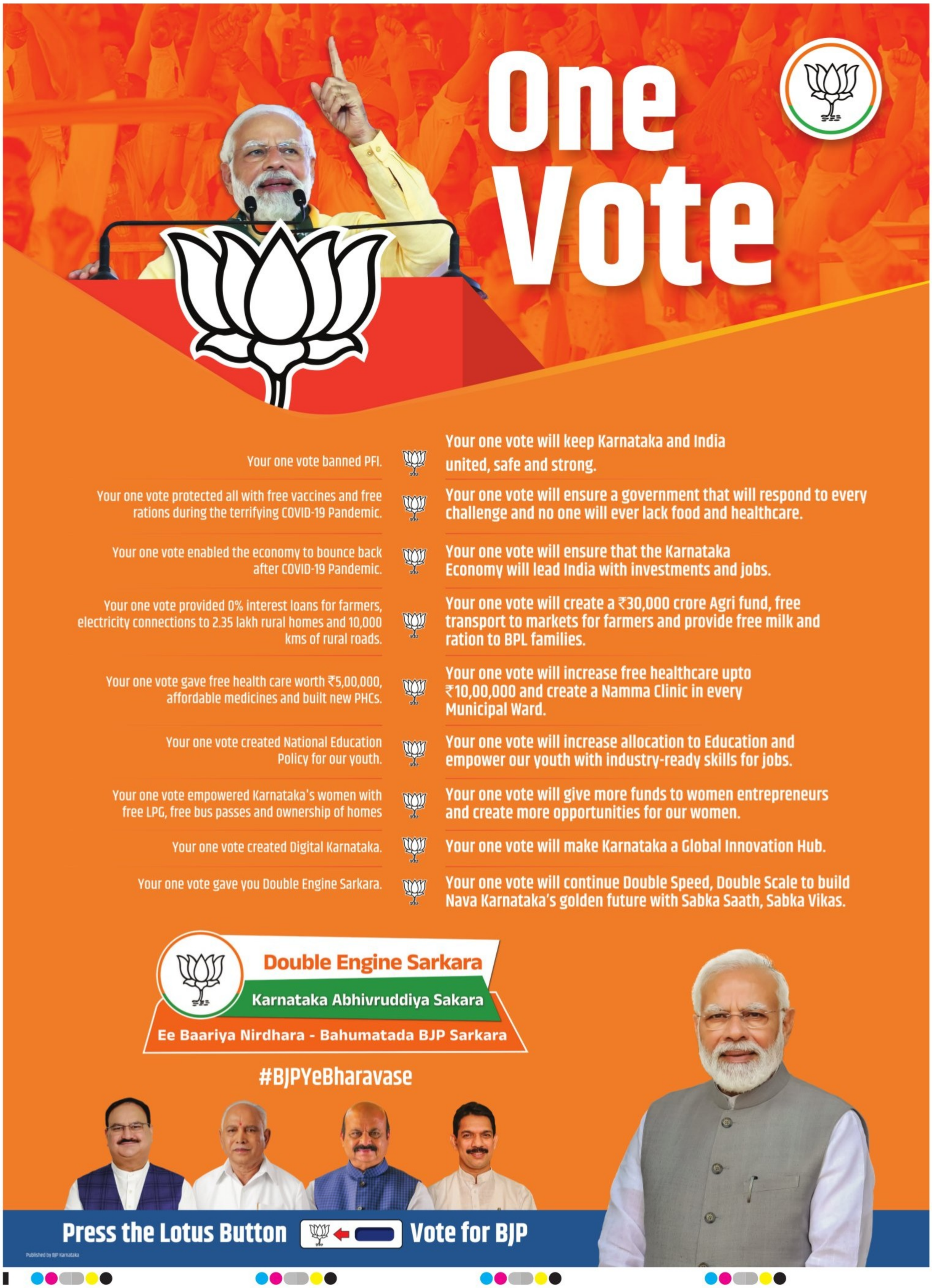
Locals gather at the site after a bus fell from a bridge in Madhya Pradesh's Khargone district on Tuesday | PTI

24 killed in MP as bus falls off river bridge

At least 24 people were killed and more than 40 others injured when a speeding private bus packed with passengers plunged into a dry river bed after breaking through railings of a bridge in Madhya Pradesh's Khargone district on Tuesday morning, Agriculture Minister Kamal Patel said. There were around 70 passengers in the bus, which had the capacity to accommodate only 37 people | P10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Your one vote will keep Karnataka and India united, safe and strong.
Your one vote protected all with free vaccines and free rations during the terrifying COVID-19 Pandemic.
Your one vote will ensure a government that will respond to every challenge and no one will ever lack food and healthcare.
Your one vote enabled the economy to bounce back after COVID-19 Pandemic.
Your one vote will ensure that the Karnataka Economy will lead India with investments and jobs.
Your one vote provided 0% interest loans for farmers, electricity connections to 2.35 lakh rural homes and 10,000 kms of rural roads.
Your one vote will create a ₹30,000 crore Agri fund, free transport to markets for farmers and provide free milk and ration to BPL families.
Your one vote gave free health care worth ₹5,00,000, affordable medicines and built new PHCs.
Your one vote will increase free healthcare upto ₹10,00,000 and create a Namma Clinic in every Municipal Ward.
Your one vote created National Education Policy for our youth.
Your one vote will increase allocation to Education and empower our youth with industry-ready skills for jobs.
Your one vote empowered Karnataka's women with free LPG, free bus passes and ownership of homes
Your one vote will give more funds to women entrepreneurs and create more opportunities for our women.
Your one vote created Digital Karnataka.
Your one vote will make Karnataka a Global Innovation Hub.
Your one vote gave you Double Engine Sarkara.
Your one vote will continue Double Speed, Double Scale to build Nava Karnataka's golden future with Sabka Saath, Sabka Vikas.
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CHOLAMANDALAM INVESTMENT AND FINANCE COMPANY LIMITED

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Corporate Office: No.2, Dare House, 1st Floor, NSC Bose Road, Chennai-600001.
Branch Office Address: Cholamandalam Investment and Finance Company Limited, Prestige Libra, Municipal No.45, (Old No.45 & 45/1), First Floor, Lalbagh Road, Above Pass port Office BANGALORE-560027.
Contact No. Mr. Janardhan, Mob. No.95904 90222.

E-AUCTION SALE NOTICE FOR SALE OF IMMOVABLE PROPERTIES

E-auction Sale Notice for Sale of Immovable Assets under the Securitisation and Reconstruction of Financial Assets and Enforcement of Security Interest Act, 2002 read with proviso to Rule 9 (1) of the Security Interest (Enforcement) Rules, 2002.

Notice is hereby given to the public in general and in particular to the Borrower/ Co-Borrower/ Mortgagor(s) that the below described immovable properties mortgaged to the Secured Creditor, the **Physical possession** of which has been taken by the Authorised Officer of **Cholamandalam Investment and Finance Company Limited** the same shall bereferredhereinafteras **Cholamandalam Investment and Finance Company Limited.** The Secured Assets will be sold on **"As is where is", "As is what is", and "Whatever there is" basis** through E-Auction.

It is hereby informed to General public that we are going to conduct public E-Auction through website **https://bankauctions.in/**

S. No.	Account No. and Name of Borrower, Co-borrower, Mortgagors	Date & Amount as per Demand Notice U/s 13(2)	Descriptions of the property/Properties	Reserve Price / Earnest Money Deposit / Bid Increment Amount	E-Auction Date and Time / EMD Submission Last Date / Inspection Date
1	Loan Account No. X0HEBAN00002902656 **1. Kavitha K,** No.249, 3rd Avenue Teachers Colony, Koramangala, Bangalore-560034. **2. Manjunath V,** No.249, 3rd Avenue Teachers Colony Koramangala, Bangalore-560034. **3. M/s. Skanda Fitness Center,** No.02 1st Floor 8th Cross Venkatapura Main Road, Near Govt. School Kog, Bangalore-560034.	23-08-2021 & Rs.1,25,49,141.11 as on 23-08-2021	All that piece and parcel of the property bearing Site No.83, Khatha No.83, situated at Naganathapura Village, Begur Hobli, Bangalore South Taluk presently comes under the jurisdiction of BBMB **and bounded on the: East by:** Road, **West by:** Property belongs to Hussain, **North by:** Bandikhane (Jain) Property, **South by:** Road. Measuring East to West 90 feet and North to South 40 feet in all measuring 3600 sq.ft and along with building constructed thereon within the registration district of Bangalore and Sub Registration Office.	Rs.1,15,00,000/- / Rs.11,50,000/- / Rs.1,00,000/-	29-05-2023 at 11:00 am to 1:00 PM (with unlimited extension of 5 min each) / 26-05-2023 (Up to 5.30 P.M.) / 22-05-2023 and 23-05-2023 (10.00 A.M to 1:00. P.M.)

1. All Interested participants / bidders are requested to visit the website **https://bankauctions.in/** & **https://www.cholamandalam.com/auction-notices** . For details, help, procedure and online training on e-auction, prospective bidders may contact **Mr. Muhammed Rahees-8124000030, Ms.4 Closure.; Mr. U.Subbarao, Phone No.8142000061, Email: subbarao@bankauctions.in, E-mail: bharathi@bankauctions.in**
2. For further details on terms and conditions please visit:- **https://bankauctions.in/** & **https://www.cholamandalam.com/auction-notices** to take part in e-auction.

THIS IS ALSO A STATUTORY 15 DAYS SALE NOTICE UNDER RULE 9 (1) OF SECURITY INTEREST (ENFORCEMENT) RULES, 2002

Date: 10-05-2023
Place: Bangalore
Sd/- Authorized Officer,
Cholamandalam investment and Finance Company Limited.

PUNJAB & SIND BANK

(A Govt. of India Undertaking)
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Chickpet Area Branch : 678-679, S.B. Market Lane, Bangaluru-560053. Phone: 080-22267476, 22269355. Email: b0348@psb.co.in

SALE NOTICE FOR SALE OF IMMOVABLE PROPERTY

E-Auction Sale Notice for sale of immovable assets under the Securitization and Reconstruction of Financial Assets and Enforcement of Security Interest Act, 2002 read with proviso to Rule 8(6) of the Security Interest (Enforcement) Rules, 2002.

E Auction Date &Time : 31.05.2023 at 11:00 AM to 4:00 PM
Last Date of EMD Submission : 30.05.2023 upto 4.00 PM
Property Inspection Date & Time : 29.05.2023 at 11.00 AM to 4.00 PM

Notice is hereby given to public in general and in particular to the Borrower(s) and Guarantor(s) that the below described immovable properties mortgaged/ charged to the secured creditor, the Symbolic possession of which has been taken by the Authorized Officer of Punjab & Sind Bank (secured creditor), will be sold on "As is where is", "As is what is" and "Whatever there is" basis.

S. No.	Name and Address of the Borrower & Guarantors	Detail of Properties along with Boundaries	Demand Notice date U/s. 13(2) & Amount / Present Outstanding amount (secure Debt)	Minimum Reserve Price (Amt. in lacs) / EMD Amount / Bid increase amount	Authorized Officer	EMD submission A/C Details	Property inspection Date & Time	Last Date & time of EMD Submission / Status of Possession
1.	Mr S M Prem Kumar S/o Sh. S Basavarajaiah and Mrs. Annapurnamma W/o Sh. S Basavarajaiah (Borrowers/Mortgagors) And Mrs Geetha K P W/o S M Prem kumar (Guarantor)	**Schedule-A:** All that piece and parcel of Residential Apartment bearing no. 305 (3 BHK) in 3rd floor in building known as "Sri Mallikarjuna Residency" built at residential property bearing site Nos. 43 and 44, V P Katha No.714, Old BBMP Khatha No.905/43 and 946/44, after clubbing both the site No.43 and 44, now bearing new BBMP property No.43/44, New BBMP Khatha No.905/43/44, formed out residential converted land bearing Sy.Nos.59/2, 59/3 and 59/4 of Gubbalala Village, Uttarahalli Hobli, Bangalore South Taluk presently comes within the limits of Bruhat Bangalore Mahanagra Palike, Uttarahalli Sub Division, Bangalore BBMP Ward No.184, which is duly converted from Agricultural purposes to Non-Agricultural Residential purposes vide Conversion Order No. BDS ALN SR(S)89/2004-05, dated 14-06-2004, issued by the Special Deputy Commissioner, Bangalore District, Bangalore, measuring East to West 120-0 feet, North to South 95-0 feet, totally measuring 11400 sq, **East :** Site No.45, **West :** Site No.42, **North :** Private Property, **South :** Road. **Schedule-B :** 344 Sqr feet of undivided share, right, title respectively in the schedule A property. **Schedule-C :** Proposed residential apartment bearing no. 305 (3 BHK) in third floor in building known as Sri Mallikarjuna Residency to be constructed over schedule A property in accordance with sanctioned plan and license by BBMP, CONSISTING OF 3 Bed rooms, a living hall, dining hall, Kitchen and utility with bathrooms, measuring the total super built up area 1425 Sq feet approximately together with one covered parking space in basement floor having vitrified flooring, sanitary and electrical wiring.	Date : 6-09-2022 and amount of Rs. 35,41,667.23 / Rs.37,65,938.29 on 30.04.2023 plus further interest w.e.f 01.05.2023, costs, other charges and expense thereon.	Rs 55,80,000/- / Rs. 5,80,000/- / Rs. 1,00,000/-	Shri. Rajesh Dutt Chief Manager Mob. No. 8123440391	A/C name- E-Auction PSB-EMD A/C No. 03481100003332 IFSC Code- PSIB0000348 Branch Name- Chickpet	29.05.2023 11.00 am to 4.00 pm	30.05.2023- 4.00 pm / Symbolic possession

***NOTE:** The measurement of above property, however, be verified by the bidders at site and also from the records of the Revenue Authorities prior to participating in auction.

TERMS AND CONDITIONS : For Detailed Terms and Conditions of auction, Visit our Bank's website **www.psbindia.com**

STATUTORY 15 DAYS SALE NOTICE UNDER RULE 8(6) OF THE SARFAESI RULES, 2002

The borrower/guarantors are hereby notified to pay the sum as mentioned above along with up to date interest and ancillary expenses before the date of auction, failing which the property will be auctioned/sold and balance dues if any will be recovered with interest and cost.

Date : 09.05.2023
Place : Bangalore
Authorized Officer

THE BANGALORE CITY CO-OPERATIVE BANK LIMITED

ESTD: 1907

Administrative Office: # 3, PAMPAMAHAKAVI ROAD, CHAMARAJAPET, BANGALORE –18. Ph. : 26678572 : 26600512 : 26609066.

SALE OF IMMOVABLE PROPERTIES THROUGH PUBLIC AUCTION

Auction Sale under the Securitization & Reconstruction of Financial Assets and Enforcement of Security interest Act 2002 of the Immovable properties mortgaged to the **Bangalore City Co. operative Bank Ltd., is brought to Sale under " AS IS WHERE IS CONDITION".**

Sl No	Name of the Borrower & Description of property	Boundaries & Measurement	Amount of Secured debt & Reserve Price	Date of Public Auction
01	**Sri. S. Shyam Mohan No.12, Chaitanya, S.M. Road, 2nd Cross, Jalahalli West, Benglauru-15.** No. 12, Old No. 8/1, V.P. Khatha No. 268, 3rd Cross, S.M. Road, Potti Garden, Jalahalli West, Peenya Village, Yeshwanthapura Hobli, Bengaluru North Taluk, PID No. 1-49-12, BBMP Ward No. 01, New BBMP Ward No. 38 of HMT, Bengaluru.	**East to West: 35 feet & North to South: 52 feet East by : Padmavathiyammal & Padmanabhan's Property, West by : P. Narayanpotti's Property North by : 13 feet Road, adjacent to Padmavathiyammal, South by : C.S. Narayana Potti Property**	**Rs. 33,74,695/- (Interest from) 02.05.2023 Notice Date: 02.05.2023 Reserve Price Rs. 84,50,000/-**	**12.06.2023 10.00 A.M**
02	**Smt. Firdose Fathima No.05, 6th Main, 6th Cross, Balaji Layout, Near Big Razal Kodigehalli, Bangalore.** No. 05, Khatha No. 40/2A, Kodigehalli Village, Panchayath, Yelahanka Hobli, Bengaluru North Taluk, BBMP Ward No. 08 of Kodigehalli, B- Extract Khatha Sl No. 179, property No. 40/2A/05, Kodigehalli Bengaluru.	**East to West : 25 feet & North to South : 30 feet East by : Remaining portion of the property belongs to Ali Mirza West by : Site No. 06 North by : 30 feet Road South by : Remaining portion of the same property belongs to Ali Mirza**	**Rs. 20,81,701/- (Interest from) 02.05.2023 Notice Date : 02.05.2023 Reserve Price Rs. 26,60,000/-**	**12.06.2023 11.00 A.M**
03	**Sri. Anil. S No. 13, Ramanahalli, Urugappa Post, Bidadi Hobli, Ramanagar Taluk, Ramanagar- 562109** Site No.53, Kaneshumari Khatha No. 53/34/53, Present E-property No. 152900401002020099, Out of Sy. No. 34 of Vaderahalli Village, Kasaba Hobli, Ramanagar Taluk, Presently Harisandra Grama Panchayathi Limits, (Offical Memorandum dtd. 26.10.2009 & 08.11.2013 vide ALN/S.R./172/08-09) (Approved Layout Plan No. 573/2014-15 dtd. 11.12.2014 vide No. 609/14-15) dtd. 23.12.2014	**Measuring:- East to West : 12.192 Mtrs & North to South : 9.144 Mtrs East by : Site No. 65 West by : 40 feet Wide Road North by : 30 feet Wide Road South by : Site No. 54**	**Rs. 31,63,015/- (Interest from) 05.05.2023 Notice Date : 05.05.2023 Reserve Price Rs. 41,80,000/-**	**12.06.2023 12.00 P.M**
04	**Smt. Kusuma No.68, 3rd Cross, vinayakanagar, Near Vinayaka Temple, Ward No. 2, Ramanagara-562 159.** Khaneshumari No.172/101/2, site No.8, out of Sy. No. 101/2, of Vaderahalli Village, Kasaba Hobli, Ramanagara Taluk, Ward No.2 of Ramanagara Municipality & Property Khatha No.347/2373/2148, Ramanagar Town,	**East to West : 44 feet & North to South : 30 feet East by : Property belongs to Sri. Honnappa West by : 18 feet Wide Road North by : Site No. 7 South by : Site No. 9**	**Rs. 13,04,668/- (Interest from) 05.05.2023 Notice Date : 05.05.2023 Reserve Price Rs. 20,00,000/-**	**12.06.2023 02.00 P.M**
05	**Smt. Roopa. C.M No. 3066, 3rd Cross, Manjunathanagar, Channapatna Town, Ramanagar-562159.** Municipal Door No. 3066, Old Municipal Khatha No. 6560, 3rd Main Road, Manjunatha Layout, Ward No. 08, Channapatna Town, Municipal "A" Division Ramanagar District E Khatha No. 8-3-551-115,	**East to West : 60 feet & North to South : 40 feet East by : House belongs to Sri. S. Siddappa West by : 20 feet Road left for common passage North by : Site No. 01 South by : House Site No. 03, belongs to Sri. N. Shivalingaiah.**	**Rs. 80,56,929/- (Interest from) 05.05.2023 Notice Date : 05.05.2023 Reserve Price Rs. 1,01,00,000/-**	**12.06.2023 03.00 P.M**

(1) The public auction will be conducted in the premises of Administrative office, No.3, Pampa Mahakavi Road, Chamarajapet, Bangalore-18, (2) For participation in the auction the intending bidder have to deposit an amount equivalent to 10 % of the Reserve price of the property being cautioned deposit. The cautioned deposit shall be forfeited by the bank without any prior notice, If the successful bidder fails to Adhere to the terms of Sale, time and commits default in any manner. (3) The successful bidders should deposit 25 % of the bid amount on the same day at the sale in cash/D.D. to the bank and the balance Within 15 days from the date of sale. (4) The Successful bidders shall bear all expenses like stamp duty Registration fee etc., for getting the sale certificate Registered in his/her favour. (5) The authorized officer shall have powers to accept or reject bids or postpone / cancel the auction without assigning any reasons thereof. (6) For inspection of the property and other particular, the intending bidders may contact the undersigned at **The Bangalore City Co. operative Bank ltd., Administrative office, or through phone No.26678572 / 26600512,** they are at liberty to make their own Assessment / enquiry about the property.

Date : 09.05.2023
Place: Bangalore
Sd/- Authorized Officer
The Bangalore City Co-operative Bank Ltd.,

PUBLIC NOTICE

This is to inform the General Public that, my Clients N.SRINIVAS, N.MANJUNATH, SHANKAR.N., UMA BAI.N. Children of LATE N.B.NANDARAM SINGH & LATE Smt. RAJA LAKSHMI BAI.M., Residing at NO. 14, 3RD MAIN, BET COLLEGE ROAD, DODDABANASWADI, BENGALURU-560043, Mobile Number : 7019933545 declare that, N.SRINIVAS and Late Smt. RAJA LAKSHMI BAI.M. are the absolute owner and in peaceful possession of the Schedule Property, acquired by virtue of ABSOLUTE SALE DEED vide document number : KRI-1-04664-2016-17, in Book-1, Stored in C.D. No. KRID584, dated : 08/09/2016, Registered in the office of the Senior Sub-Registrar, K.R.Puram, Bengaluru and earlier in respect of the Schedule Property a Notarized Irrevocable General Power of Attorney was executed by Smt. PISTA BAI, Sri. B.MANOHARLAL BANTIA, Smt. SUSHEELA, Sri. B.ASHOK BANTIA, Sri. B.RAJESH BANTIA and Smt. SAVITHA, Children of LATE H.BHAVARLAL in favour of Sri. SYED SALIM son of Syed Muneer on 02/11/2004 before B.G.SRIRAM, succeeding the Schedule Property from their Father LATE H.BHAVARLAL, subsequently with the said Sri. SYED SALIM representing himself as GPA holder of Smt. PISTA BAI, Sri. B.MANOHARLAL BANTIA, Smt. SUSHEELA, Sri. B.ASHOK BANTIA, Sri. B.RAJESH BANTIA and Smt. SAVITHA, Children of LATE H.BHAVARLAL has sold and executed Deed of Absolute Sale Deed in favour of B.A.BRAMHACHARI, son of C.ANNAIAHCHARI, which is registered as vide document Number ; KRI-1-15787-2005-06, in Book-1, stored in C.D.No.KRID178, Dated : 01/02/2006, Registered before Senior Sub-Registrar, K.R. Puram, Bengaluru, and my Clients are intending to dispose / sell the schedule property and my Clients calling upon the General Public, Anyone having any claim, right, title, interest or objections in respect of schedule property and in respect of the above said General Power Attorney may contact the undersigned with documentary proof, within 15 days hereof, and after 15 days no claim will be considered, and failing which, Any claim made after the stipulated period, will not be valid and will not be binding on my Clients, it is presumed that my clients are at liberty to deal with the same in any manner as they deems fit and my clients will proceed with completion of sale transaction of the schedule Property.

SCHEDULE PROPERTY

All that piece and parcel of entire Immovable Property bearing Site Numbers : 29 & 30, formed in Converted Survey No.87, New Khatha No. 21/178, this property has been converted for residential purpose vide conversion certificate No. BDS.ALN.SR(S)628/1992-93, dated : 16/09/1992, situated at MEDAHALLI VILLAGE, BIDARAHALLI HOBLI, BENGALURU EAST TALUK, formerly Bangalore South Taluk, now comes UNDER BBMP LIMITS, Bengaluru, measuring EAST TO WEST : 45 FEET and NORTH TO SOUTH : 45 FEET in all measuring 2025 Square Feet, together with all appurtenances whatsoever whether underneath or above the surface and bounded as follows :

East by : Remaining Portion of Site Nos 30 & 31, West by : Road,
North by : Site No.37 & 38, South by : Road.

SD/- **N.NARAYANA SWAMY**, ADVOCATE & NOTARY
NO.17, SRIGANDHA NILAYA, GOVINDAPPA LAYOUT, R.M.V.2ND STAGE, NAGASHETTIHALLI, BENGALURU-560094 MOBILE : 9448226205 / 9535537285
PLACE : BENGALURU DATE 09/05/2023

SOUTHERN RAILWAY

E-Tender Notice for the Supply of Stores No E- 09/2023

The following e-Tenders are published in IREPS website. Firms are requested to Login to & services (new) and quote against these tenders. Manual quotations will not be entertained for these tenders. Closing time for all tenders 14:30 hours

Sl.No	Tender No	Description	Due Date
1.	04230895	KNUCKLE	16/05/2023
2.	01230227A	CYLINDRICAL ROLLER BEARING NU 311	17/05/2023
3.	26232237	SET OF BEARING COVERS	18/05/2023
4.	01230468A	STAINLESS STEEL MMAW ELECTRODES	18/05/2023
5.	68235695	BRAKE PIPE & CYLINDER	18/05/2023
6.	06234304	FIRE RETARDANT CURTAIN	19/05/2023
7.	04230138	BOGIE FRAME	19/05/2023
8.	06234319	BELLOW DUCT ASSEMBLY	19/05/2023
9.	90235776	STATIC OSOP	19/05/2023
10.	06235007B	CAVITRON ULTRASONIC ASPIRATOR	22/05/2023
11.	26230639A	DISC VALVE ASSEMBLY	22/05/2023
12.	04230160	SILENT BLOCK	23/05/2023
13.	03225106B	CMS CROSSING 60 kg	23/05/2023
14.	68235684	OH KIT	23/05/2023
15.	78235322	BRUSHLESS ALTERNATOR	23/05/2023
16.	02235203	OXYGENATOR	24/05/2023
17.	78235085	25KVA THREE PHASE-INVERTER	24/05/2023
18.	44230609	FABRICATED SIDE STANCHION	25/05/2023
19.	02235240	LASER SYSTEM	25/05/2023
20.	78235634	FLAP DOOR ARRANGEMENT	25/05/2023
21.	68235552	TRACTION MOTOR	25/05/2023
22.	68235554	ROTOR ASSEMBLY	25/05/2023
23.	90235721	WELDING SOCKET	25/05/2023
24.	04230137	BOGIE FRAME	26/05/2023
25.	15230229	SILICON IRON ROUND 28mm DIA	26/05/2023
26.	78235637	FLAP DOOR ARRANGEMENT	26/05/2023
27.	01230068	(MMAW) ELECTRODE	29/05/2023
28.	04230191	ENHANCED SCREW COUPLING ASSEMBLY	30/05/2023
29.	03225119B	IMPROVED SWITCH EXPANSION JOINT	01/06/2023
30.	03225126B	6400 mm OVER RIDING SWITCHES	01/06/2023
31.	78235448	HIGH CAPACITY INTER VEHICULAR COUPLER	01/06/2023
32.	78235402	25KVA THREE PHASR -INVERTER	01/06/2023
33.	78235628	STRINGER CENTER+INNER+END	01/06/2023
34.	90235761	POLE MOUNT TYPE JUNCTION BOX	02/06/2023
35.	01230303	NON-FLAMMABLE SOLVENT BASED ADHESIVE	05/06/2023
36.	03225120B	IMPROVED SWITCH EXPANSION JOINT	05/06/2023
37.	03225125B	10125 mm OR SWITCHES	05/06/2023
38.	90235493	SUPPLY, MANUFACTURE AND INSTALLATION	06/06/2023
39.	90226873	SET OF INTER VEHICULAR COUPLER	06/06/2023
40.	04221124A	COCK GI	09/06/2023

The following e-Bid have been published in GeM Website. Firms are requested to login to **www.gem.gov.in** and quote against the following e-bid. Manual quotations will not be entertained.

41.	GEM/2023/B/3380996	Cleaning, Sanitation & Disinfection Service	09/05/2023
42.	GEM/2023/B/3359054	Galvanized Pipe 65mm	09/05/2023
43.	GEM/2023/B/3342043	RPF Ceremonial Dress	09/05/2023
44.	GEM/2023/B/32755577	CORE 70SQ.MM XLPE CABLE	01/06/2023
45.	GEM/2023/B/3307363	POLYETHYLENEV PIPES	02/06/2023

Principal Chief Materials Manager, Chennai - 23.

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PUBLIC NOTICE

I, **MR. GEORGE KURIAN PEZHUMKATTIL**, aged 63 years, Son of Late K.O. Varkey, residing at Pezhumkattil House, Koottickal P. O., Wembly., Kokkayar, Idukki, Kerala- 686 514, hereby bring to the notice of general public that I am the absolute owner of Property described in the Schedule written hereunder. The Original previous sale deed dated 04.08.1998 of the Schedule Property executed by Mr. L. Ramachandra and Mrs. Madhuri Khandekar in my favour, registered as document No.1706/98-99, in the Office of the Sub-Registrar, Anekal, Bangalore is could not be found and the same is lost forever. Under the circumstances I have obtained certified copy of the said Absolute sale deed and the same is to be treated as the conclusive proof of my marketable title. The General Public are required to take note of the above. I have not created any encumbrances over this Property based on the above original sale deed. Anyone claiming any interest over the aforesaid property based on the same shall inform in writing **within 7 days f**rom the date of this notice to the undersigned and thereafter no claims shall be entitled.

SCHEDULE

All that piece and parcel of residentially converted land bearing Site No.9, Hebbagodi City Municipal Council Katha No.2589/107/1/9, measuring 2637 Sq.ft and bounded on the East by: **Property belonging to Mr. Mathew Kuruvilla,** West by: **Site No.8,** North by: **S.F.S.Enclave** and South by: **Road** and measuring on the East 60 feet 6 Inches, West 60 feet 6 Inches, North 42 feet 9 Inches and South 44 feet 3 Inches. The above site is formed in residentially converted land bearing Survey No.107/1 of Kammasandra Village, Attibele Hobli, Anekal Taluk, Bangalore District.

Date: 9th May 2023
Place: Bengaluru
Sd/-
George Kurian Pezhumkattil

Indian Overseas Bank

TAPESWARAM BRANCH (0529), Main Road,Tapeswaram Village, Mandapeta Mandal, Dr. B R A Konaseema District-533340

POSSESSION NOTICE

APPENDIX – IV (RULE 8 (1) (FOR IMMOVABLE PROPERTY)

Whereas, the undersigned being the Authorised Officer of the **Indian Overseas Bank** under the Securitisation and Reconstruction of Financial Assets and Enforcement of Security Interest Act, 2002 and in exercise of powers conferred under section 13(12) read with rule 3 of the Security Interest (Enforcement) Rules, 2002 issued a **demand notice dated 21.12.2022** calling upon the **borrowers/mortgagors: 1. M/s. PLR – SVCPL [JV], Sri Satti Srinivasa Reddy,** Managing Director, Plot No: 48, Trimurthy Colony, 7th Cross, Mahendra Hills, Rangareddy Dist., Telangana-500026 OR **M/s. PLR – SVCPL [JV],** Sri Satti Srinivasa Reddy, Managing Director, Inwinex towers, Plot No: 130, 3B, 3rd floor, Road No:2, Banjara Hills, Hyderabad, Telangana-500 034.... Borrower/Mortgagor. **2. Sri Satti Srinivasa Reddy, S/o Satti Kondareddy,** D No: 2-29, Arthamuru Village, Mandapeta Mandal, E G Dist, (Old), Dr. B R A Konaseema Dist., AP -533308 OR **Sri Satti Srinivasa Reddy S/o Satti Kondareddy,** Flat No: 503, Manabhumi Millinium, West Maredupally, Secunderabad, Telangana-500026....Borrower/Guarantor. **3. Sri. Keta Bhaskar Kumar Babu, Additional Director SVCPL, S/o K V S Setty,** Plot No. 09, Maithri Enclave, Block No.03 of Kapra under GHMC, KAPRA, Kapra Circle, Keesara Mandal-500062, Ranga reddy District, Telangana-500087 OR **Sri. Keta Bhaskar Kumar Babu S/o K V S Setty,** Plot no: 18, Sri Saibaba Officers Colony, Sainikpuri, Secunderabad, Hyderabad, Telangana-500094 .... Guarantor. **4. Smt. Keta Sridevi alias Manga Devi, W/o Sri Ketha Bhaskar Kumar Babu,** Plot No. 09, Maithri Enclave, Block No.03 of Kapra under GHMC, KAPRA, Kapra Circle, Keesara Mandal. 500062, Ranga reddy District, Telangana – 500 087 **OR Smt. Keta Sridevi alias Manga Devi, W/o Sri Ketha Bhaskar Kumar Babu,** Plot no: 18, Sri Saibaba Officers Colony, Sainikpuri, Secunderabad, Hyderabad, Telangana-500094 ....Guarantor/Mortgagor. **5. Sri Chirla Rama Krishna Reddy, S/o Veera Raghava Reddy,** D No: 3-33, Arthamuru Village, Mandapeta Mandal, E G Dist (Old), Dr. B R A Konaseema Dist., AP -533308 .... Guarantor (SVCPL). **6. Sri Satti Konda Reddy , S/o (Late) Satyam,** D No: 2-29, Arthamuru Village,Mandapeta Mandal, E G Dist (Old), Dr. B R A Konaseema Dist., AP-533308 .... Guarantor (SVCPL). **7. Smt Satti Anuradha, W/o Satti Srinivasa Reddy,** Inwinex towers, Plot No:130, 3B, 3rd floor, Road No: 2, Banjara Hills, Hyderabad, Telangana – 500034 OR **Smt Satti Anuradha, W/o Satti Srinivasa Reddy,** Flat No: 503, Manabhumi Millinium, West Maredupally, Secunderabad, Telangana – 500 026 .... Guarantor (SVCPL). **8. Smt Satti Lakhsmi, W/o Satti Kondareddy,** D No: 2-29, Arthamuru Village, Mandapeta Mandal, E G Dist (Old), Dr. B R A Konaseema Dist., AP-533308 .... Guarantor (SVCPL). **9. Sri Dokala Babu Srinivasa Rao, S/o Sanyasi Naidu,** 3rd Cross Chaitanya layout, South Bangalore, Karnataka - 560043 .... Guarantor (SVCPL). **10. Smt Ketha Nagamani, W/o Venkata satyanarayana Setty,** D No. 6-14, Beside BSNL Exchange, Tatipaka Village, Razole Mandal, E G Dist (Old), Dr. B R A Konaseema Dist., AP-533 249 .... Guarantor (SVCPL) **(hereinafter referred as 'borrowers')** to repay the amount mentioned in the notice being **Rs. 30,50,78,747.48 [Rupees Thirty Crore Fifty Lakh seventy eight Thousand seven hundred forty seven and Ps. Forty Eight only]** as on 30.11.2022 with further interest at contractual rates and rests, charges etc till date of realization within 60 days from the date of receipt of the said notice.

The borrowers having failed to repay the amount, notice is hereby given to the borrowers and the public in general that the undersigned has taken possession of the property described herein below in exercise of powers conferred on him under Section 13(4) of the said Act read with Rule 8 of the said Rules on this **6th day of May of the year 2023.**

The borrowers in particular and the public in general are hereby cautioned not to deal with the property and any dealings with the property will be subject to the charge of Indian Overseas Bank for an amount of Rs. 30,50,78,747.48 [Rupees Thirty Crore Fifty Lakh seventy eight Thousand seven hundred forty seven and Ps. Forty Eight only] as on 30.11.2022 with interest thereon at contractual rates & rests as agreed, charges etc., from the aforesaid date mentioned in the demand notice till date of payment less repayments, if any, made after issuance of Demand Notice. The dues payable as on the date of taking possession is **Rs.31,83,58,111.05 (Rupees Thirty one Crore Eighty three Lakh Fifty eight Thousand one hundred eleven and Ps. Five only)** as on 31.03.2023 payable with further interest at contractual rates & rests, charges etc., till date of payment.

The borrowers attention is invited to provisions of Sub-section(8) of the Section 13 of the Act, in respect of time available to them, to redeem the secured assets.

DESCRIPTION OF THE IMMOVABLE PROPERTY

(Property standing in the name of Mrs. Ketha Sridevi alias Manga Devi) (Property covered by document no 2634/2010, dated 12.08.2010 with SRO Kapra). All that residential triplex house on plot bearing No:9 in S Nos 633 (part), 634 (part), 635 & 638 in the layout of **" MAITHRI ENCLAVE"** admeasuring 350 sq. yds or 296.6 Sq.mtrs with a builtup area of 4242 Sft of RCC roof, vide HUDA Layout Permit L.P 43/MP2/H/2004 dated 10.08.2004, situated at Block No:3 of KAPRA, under GHMC KAPRA Circle, Keesara Mandal, Rangareddy District., Telangana. **Bounded by:** East : 40' Wide Road, South: Plot No.10, West: Part of Plot No:245, North: Plot No.8.

Date: 06.05.2023
Place: Tapeswaram
Sd/- Authorised Officer,
Indian Overseas Bank

PHYSICAL POSSESSION NOTICE

ICICI Bank | **Branch Office:** ICICI Bank Ltd. 4/10, Mythree Tower, Bommanhalli Hosur Main Road Bangalore-560068

Whereas

The undersigned being the Authorized Officer of ICICI Bank Limited under the Securitisation, Reconstruction of Financial Assets and Enforcement of Security Interest Act, 2002 and in exercise of the powers conferred under section 13 (12) read with Rule 3 of the Security Interest (Enforcement) rules 2002, issued demand notices upon the borrowers mentioned below, to repay the amount mentioned in the notice within 60 days from the date of receipt of the said notice.

As the borrower failed to repay the amount, notice is hereby given to the borrower and the public in general that the undersigned has taken possession of the property described herein below in exercise of powers conferred on him/ her under Section 13(4) of the said Act read with Rule 8 of the said rules on the below-mentioned dates. The borrower in particular and the public in general is hereby cautioned not to deal with the property and any dealings with the property will be subject to the charge of ICICI Bank Limited.

Sr. No.	Name of the Borrower/ Loan Account Number	Description of Property/ Date of Physical Possession	Date of Demand Notice/ Amount in Demand Notice (Rs.)	Name of Branch
1.	M/s. Skanda Corp, Mr. Bala Murali. P, Mr. Ganesh Krishnan, Mr. Mahesh Kumar A & Mr. Chitra Devi K/ House No.76, 4th Cross Road S I H S, Itc Colony, Jeevanahalli Extention, Karnataka Bangalore.- 560033/ 313505000289, 313560000001, 313560000004 & 313555000006	All That The Piece And Parcel Of The Property Situated At House No 76 , 4rth Cross, S I H S , Itc Colony, Jeevanahalli Extension, Bangalore. Measuring East To West 12mtrs, And North To South 7.95mtrs. Bounded By East By: Road, West By: H No 65, North By: H No 75, South By: Road. Date Of Physical Possession 05th May 2023	19-06-2021 Rs. 1,48,53,985.07/-	Bangalore

The above-mentioned borrowers(s)/ guarantors(s) are hereby given a 30 day notice to repay the amount, else the mortgaged properties will be sold on the expiry of 30 days from the date of publication of this Notice, as per the provisions under the Rules 8 and 9 of Security Interest (Enforcement) Rules 2002.

Date : May 10, 2023
Place : Bangalore
Authorized Officer
ICICI Bank Limited

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DEMAND NOTICE UNDER SECTION 13(2) OF SARFAESI ACT, 2002.

Whereas you the below mentioned Borrower's, Co-Borrower's, Guarantor's and Mortgagors have availed loans from **Jana Small Finance Bank Limited,** by mortgaging your immovable properties. Consequent to default committed by you all, your loan account has been classified as **Non-performing Asset,** whereas **Jana Small Finance Bank Limited** being a secured creditor under the Act, and in exercise of the powers conferred under section 13(2) of the said Act read with rule 2 of Security Interest (Enforcement) Rules 2002, issued **Demand notice** calling upon the Borrower's/ Co-Borrower's/ Guarantor's/ Mortgagors as mentioned in column No.2 to repay the amount mentioned in the notices with future interest thereon within **60 days** from the date of notice, but the notices could not be served on some of them for various reasons.

Sr. No.	Name of Borrower/ Co-Borrower/ Guarantor/ Mortgagor	Loan Account No. & Loan Amount	Details of the Security to be enforced	Date of NPA & Demand Notice date	Amount Due in Rs. / as on
1	1) Mrs. Mahalakshmi M, 2) Mr. Basavaraju M Y, 3) Mr. Sunil Kumar M B, C/o. Mr. Basavaraju M Y	Loan Account No. 46989630000691 Loan Amount: Rs.10,00,000/-	**Schedule-II - Details of Secured Assets - Mortgaged Immovable Property:** All the piece and parcel of the property bearing Assessment No.63, Site No.63, E-Katha No.150300302300620026, situated at Maralenahalli Village, comes within the preview of Hanabe Village Panchayath, Kasaba Hobli, Doddaballapura Taluk, Bangalore Rural District and **Bounded on: On the East:** Site No.62, **On the West:** Site No.64, **On the North:** Site No.78, **On the South:** Road. Measuring East to West: 9.144 Mtrs (30 Feet) and North to South: 12.192 Mtrs (40 Feet) Total measuring 111.48 Sq.mtrs (1200 Sq.feet).	Date of NPA: 29-11-2017 Demand Notice Date: 08-05-2023	Rs.9,71,815/- (Rupees Nine Lakh Seventy One Thousand Eight Hundred Fifteen Only) dues as on 04-05-2023

Notice is therefore given to the Borrower/ Co-Borrower/ Guarantor & Mortgagor as mentioned in Column No.2, calling upon them to make payment of the aggregate amount as shown in column No.6, against all the respective Borrower/ Co-Borrower within **60 days** of Publication of this notice as the said amount is found payable in relation to the respective loan account as on the date shown in Column No. 6. It is made clear that if the aggregate amount together with future interest and other amounts which may become payable till the date of payment, is not paid, **Jana Small Finance Bank Limited** shall be constrained to take appropriate action for enforcement of security interest upon properties as described in Column No.4. Please note that this publication is made without prejudice to such rights and remedies as are available to **Jana Small Finance Bank Limited** against the Borrower's/ Co-Borrower's/ Guarantor's/ Mortgagors of the said financials under the law, you are further requested to note that as per section 13(13) of the said act, you are restrained/ prohibited from disposing of or dealing with the above security or transferring by way of sale, lease or otherwise of the secured asset without prior consent of Secured Creditor.

Date: 10.05.2023, Place: Bangalore Rural
Sd/- Authorised Officer, For Jana Small Finance Bank Limited

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MESSI TO JOIN RONALDO?

Reports on Tuesday indicated that World Cup-winning captain of Argentina Lionel Messi is set to join a club in Saudi Arabia after his PSG contract expires. He is likely to join Cristiano Ronaldo who is playing for Al Nassr in the Saudi League

Record $1 billion deal

According to sources, Messi has been offered some insane amount of money. If the deal is done, he is supposed to get $ 1 billion for two years (₹8,200 crore at $500 million a year) – one of the richest sporting contracts

Father denies rumours

'There are always rumours... there's only one truth and we can assure you that there is nothing with anyone," Jorge Messi said on Insta

BIG DAY! KARNATAKA ALL SET TO VOTE TODAY

With 5.3 crore voters, EC hopes for better voter turnout this time

EXPRESS NEWS SERVICE @Bengaluru

KARNATAKA is all set to vote on Wednesday. The Election Commission is hoping for a better voter turnout this time, beating the 2018 Assembly polling percentage record of 72.13. Karnataka has 5.3 crore voters this time. Voting will begin at 7 am and end at 6 pm.

The 2018 Assembly elections recorded a voter turnout of 72.13%, the highest in Karnataka since 1952.

However, Bengaluru recorded between 54 and 55 per cent, which is much lower than the state's average. In 2013, Karnataka recorded a polling percentage of 70.23.

The state witnessed hectic campaigning by central and state leaders of BJP and Congress this time. Prime Minister Narendra Modi took part in mega roadshows covering most of the Assembly constituencies in Bengaluru.

To attract voters, the Election Commission has set up theme-based and sector-based polling stations, including 996 booths exclusively managed by women, 239 by persons with disabilities and 286 by youths. It has set up 737 ethnic booths to showcase local culture.

All polling stations will have basic amenities such as drinking water, toilets, ramps, wheelchair, electricity, volunteers, shades, help desks and parking facilities.

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Polling officials check electronic voting machines before taking them to polling booths, on the eve of Assembly polls in Bengaluru on Tuesday | SHASHIDHAR BYRAPPA

DOS AND DON'TS

Mobile phones not allowed inside booths	If you do not have a voter ID card, you can show Aadhaar card, driving licence, MGNREGA job card, smart card issued by MOI&E, bank/post office passbook with photograph, Indian passport, health insurance smart card of Ministry of Labour, pension document with photo, Pan Card, official ID card of MP/MLA, ID card of government public companies or social justice department ID card for pensions
Check your names in voters' list before reaching polling booths	
Names can be checked on mobile app, Chunavana app, NVSP portal and CEO website	
Carry voter ID card, voter slip and government ID card	

Rain scare looms over polling day, vote early

BENGALURU: With rain forecast over most parts of Karnataka on Wednesday, Election Commission officials have appealed to voters to exercise their franchise early, preferably during the first half of the day.

Goa gives paid holiday for Karnataka workers

BELAGAVI: The Goa government on Tuesday announced a paid holiday for its employees hailing from Karnataka, to help them cast their votes in the Karnataka Assembly elections on Wednesday. P7

Imran Khan arrested amid high drama

YESHI SELI @New Delhi

FORMER Pakistan prime minister Imran Khan was on Tuesday arrested amid high drama as paramilitary Rangers suddenly swooped down on him on the Islamabad High Court premises and bundled him into a waiting prison van.

TV images of the Rangers grabbing Imran by the collar and taking him to the van sparked massive protests across the country. Angry workers of his Pakistan Tehreek-e-Insaf stormed the army headquarters in Rawalpindi, but troops exercised restraint. In Lahore, a mob attacked the Corps Commander's residence, smashing its gates and window-panes.

There were reports of Lahore being cut off from the rest of the province because of massive protest on its main roads.

Protesters at several places also burned police vehicles and damaged public property.

Prohibitory orders under Section 144 were imposed in several districts to contain the violence while access to social media was restricted.

Imran had just arrived from Lahore to appear in a Al-Qadir Trust corruption case when the Rangers nabbed him after shoving aside his lawyers and bodyguards. The Islamabad police said the arrest was in connection with him and his wife illegally receiving billions in Pakistani currency for legalising a laundered amount of Rs 50 billion, when he was in power. Imran had failed to appear before the court earlier despite several notices.

Videograb of former Pakistan PM Imran Khan on the Islamabad HC premises moments before he was arrested

Islamabad High Court Chief Justice Aamer Farooq heard arguments on the dramatic arrest on its premises but later ruled his detention was 'legal'.

Imran's constant diatribe against the powerful military establishment put him on the army's cross-hairs. It was particularly upset over him naming Major General Faisal Naseer, deputy director general for counterintelligence (DGCI) at the ISI, as the officer who had attempted to kill him a few months ago.

Imran fears Major Gen Naseer might manipulate the judiciary to amplify his troubles, the way his loyalist Lt Gen Faiz Hameed did the dirty work against Nawaz Sharif when he was DGCI. P12

Freebies worth ₹375 cr seized

EXPRESS NEWS SERVICE @Bengaluru

AFTER the announcement of Assembly polls, the vigilance team of the Election Commission seized cash, liquor, drugs and other freebies worth 4.5 times more than what had been seized during 2018 elections.

They seized Rs 147.46 in cash, 22.27 lakh litres of liquor worth Rs 83.66 crore, drugs worth Rs 23.67 crore and precious metals worth Rs 96.60 crore. In addition, after the visit of EC officials to the state in the second week of March till the announcement of elections, various enforcement agencies made seizures worth Rs 83.78 crore. P6

SC questions political statements on scrapping of Muslim quota in K'taka

SHRUTI KAKKAR @New Delhi

"PUBLIC functionaries should not make statements on sub-judice matters," the Supreme Court remarked on Tuesday, taking serious exception to political statements being made on pleas pending before the Supreme Court, challenging the Karnataka government's March 27 order scrapping 4 per cent reservation granted to Muslims under the OBC quota.

Taking note of the allegations made by the petitioners that Union Home Minister Amit Shah had made statements about scrapping of the quota ahead of Assembly polls, a bench of Justices KM Joseph, BV Nagarathna and Ahsanuddin Amanullah said some sanctity needs to be maintained when there is a court order and "sub-judice matters should not be politicised".

"Why should such statements be made when the matter is sub-judice?" the bench remarked, after advocate Dushyant Dave said statements were made by none other than the home minister.

"They are proudly saying that they have withdrawn it (the quota)," Dave said.

SG Tushar Mehta said a person is justified in saying that he is principally against religion-based reservation. He said though he is not bringing politics in the court, the petitioners were politicising the same.

"We just want discipline to be maintained, when the matter is pending before the court," Justice Nagarathna remarked. Justice Joseph recounted that the WB CM in 1971 was held for contempt for holding a press conference and defending a rationing order, which was challenged before the court.

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Campaign moves to social media, EC records plaints

Despite enforcing 48-hr silent period, EC unable to regulate platforms

NAMRATA SINDWANI @ Bengaluru

CAMPAIGNING by political parties switched from rallies and roadshows to social media platforms, and continued a day ahead of polling day in Karnataka on Tuesday.

Cutting across party lines, several political party leaders and workers shared posts about their party's promises on social media platforms, persuading citizens to vote for them. The list included Congress, BJP, JDS, Aam Aadmi Party and independents. Congress leaders uploaded multiple posts using #5GuaranteesPratigne, while #ByeByeBJP was trending on Twitter.

Preeti Gehlot, nodal officer, Media Certification and Monitoring Committee (MCMC), Chief Electoral Office, Karnataka, said the EC recorded 63 complaints against all political parties who were found violating the model code of conduct and campaigning on social media platforms. Ninety per cent of the complaints were suo motu in nature, and were made after due vigilance by the MCMC team, she added.

The 48-hour long silent period prior to elections in India is a practice to give breathing time to citizens who are showered with party promises, manifestos and election-related pledges prior to the polls. The break allows citizens to take an unbiased decision and not get swayed by any political party or leader, according to Election Commission (EC) officials, Gehlot said.

Narayan A, from the School of Policy and Governance, Azim Premji University (APU), said in an age where technology is used extensively in every field, it becomes difficult for officials to regulate it.

Political party leaders are conveying messages on social media in the same way they carry out door-to-door campaigns.

The message is the same, only the medium of communication has changed, he added.

LEADERS APPEAL

VOTE FOR K'TAKA'S BRIGHT FUTURE, SAYS MODI

Prime Minister Narendra Modi on Tuesday sought cooperation and blessing from the people of the state to make Karnataka the number one state in the country. He appealed to people to exercise their franchise on May 10. "My appeal is for Karnataka's bright future and for the bright future of your families," he said in an 8.25 minute video message. The PM spoke about the BJP government's "decisive, focused and futuristic policies" playing an important role in improving the state's economy. Despite the pandemic, during the BJP rule, Karnataka attracted FDI of Rs 90,000 crore a year, while it was just around Rs 30,000 crore during the previous government's time, he said. That shows the BJP's commitment towards the state and development he said. "We want to make Karnataka number one in investment, industry, and innovation and in education, employment and entrepreneurship.," he said.

KHARGE REMINDS VOTERS OF GUARANTEES

AICC president Mallikarjuna Kharge on Tuesday said Congress announced guarantees in the election manifesto to ensure justice to people from all sections. Stating that he is "Karnataka's Bhumi Putra (son of the soil)," Kharge appealed to the people to vote for Congress candidates. In his 3.17 minute video message posted on a social media platform, the Congress leader appealed to people to vote and bless the Congress party candidates. "Many times, many others seek votes by claiming that they are the Bhumi Putras, but I am the Karnataka's Bhumi Putra," he said. The Congress leader said people should trust the party's guarantees as they will decide to implement them on the first day of coming to power in the state. "I am giving my word on implementing the guarantees, please vote for Congress candidates on May 10," he said and explained in detail about the Congress's programmes announced in the manifesto.

No violation, hotels free to give free food to voters, says High Court

EXPRESS NEWS SERVICE @ Bengaluru

THE Karnataka High Court stayed implementation of a press note issued by District Election Officer (DEO), barring hotels from providing complimentary food or food at a concession, for those who visit the hotels after casting their vote.

A vacation bench of Justice TG Shivashankare Gowda passed the interim order after hearing the petition filed by Bruhat Bangalore Hotels Association and two others.

The Assistant Commissioner (Election), BBMP, issued the press note on Tuesday, barring distribution of complimentary food or at a discount by hotels, saying it violates the model code of conduct and amounts to inducement.

However, advocate K Satish, representing the petitioners, contended that they have evolved a method of providing free food for those who have already cast their votes and show the ink mark on their fingers as proof. This practice was adopted several years ago to encourage people to vote, he argued.

The court noted that there is no compulsion for anybody to opt for such food, so there is no question of inducement, and the apprehension that all voters of Bengaluru will visit the hotels and cause a law and order problem, is not acceptable.

If the hoteliers want to distribute free or discounted food, they can do it. A copy of the model code of conduct, produced before court, does not indicate that distribution of food to people who have cast their votes, amounts to violation or inducement. Hence, the BBMP note granting permission and withdrawing the same is not proper, and is stayed, the court added.

Regarding law and order problem, the court said election authorities are at liberty to take action against the hoteliers in case of violation. Hotels should not claim credit on behalf of political parties, or receive contributions from political parties or leaders. If they do benefit through the media, they are liable to be prosecuted for violation of the model code of conduct, the court cautioned.

CONG MOVES EC ON PM'S 'MODEL CODE VIOLATION'

PREETHA NAIR @ New Delhi

ON the eve of the Karnataka Assembly elections, the Congress approached the Election Commission and sought immediate action against Prime Minister Narendra Modi and several leaders of the BJP for allegedly violating the Model Code of Conduct and the provisions of the Representation of People Act, 1951.

In a letter to the ECI, Congress general secretary in-charge of Karnataka **Randeep Singh Surjewala** alleged that PM Modi flouted the MCC by addressing the public through a video message, wherein he appealed to the voters of Karnataka on behalf of BJP and all its candidates contesting in the Karnataka elections. Surjewala said the video was posted from PM's Twitter handle at 10 pm on Monday after the silent period came into effect from Monday 6.00 pm. The leader also sought action against Union Home Minister Amit Shah, BJP national president JP Nadda, and other leaders for their live interviews after the declaration of the silence period. In these interviews, the said leaders spoke extensively about the Karnataka polls and their respective candidates, said the petition.

In the letter, the Congress further said that it will be a litmus test for the ECI to exercise its constitutional duty under Article 324 of the Constitution of India and hold those in power accountable.

"The alternative is clear. There will be no level playing field and instead, there will be 'free for all', with those in power never being held accountable either to the ECI or to the rule of law. An unwritten but accepted norm would be that the ECI's mandate extends only to Opposition parties and not to the PM and his colleagues," said the letter.

"One thing is extremely clear. PM Modi, Amit Shah, JP Nadda, and other BJP leaders consider themselves above the law and the Constitution and presume that the ECI is either intimidated by the high offices they hold or that the ECI is too weak to act against them or holds them accountable for blatant and repeated violations of the Model Code of Conduct, the written instructions of the ECI as well as various other electoral laws," it charged, seeking immediate intervention of the poll body "into the brazen, deliberate and calculated violation of the MCC as well as the provisions of the Representation of People Act, 1951".

Urging the ECI to protect the bedrock of democracy, the Congress alleged that the BJP has made every attempt to polarise, divide, divert, and deceive the electorate to cling to power at any cost.

CEO appeals to youth to exercise their franchise

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CHIEF Electoral Officer Manoj Kumar Meena told *The New Indian Express* that polling booths, which recorded a low voter turnout in the past, have been identified and made efforts to improve it. In Bengaluru, officials interacted with representatives of over 430 residents welfare associations and other organisations. "We are hoping that the turnout will be better this time," he added.

CEC's appeal

Meanwhile, Chief Election Commissioner Rajiv Kumar appealed to 5.3 crore voters, especially 11.71 lakh first-timers, to exercise their franchise without fail.

He urged young voters of Bengaluru to take inspiration from elderly voters such as 103-year-old Mahadeva Mahalinga Mali, who cast his vote from home at Chikodi in Belagavi district. He appealed to them to actively participate in the festival of democracy.

Rajiv Kumar thanked 76,000 senior citizens, aged above 80, and 18,800 physically-challenged voters for making use of vote from home facility.

He said the CEO and DEOs have been instructed to ensure all facilities at 58,000 polling stations across the state.

8,802 booths in Bengaluru, 41,000 officers deployed, says Girinath

EXPRESS NEWS SERVICE @ Bengaluru

WITH polling for 28 Assembly constituencies in Bengaluru set to begin at 7 am on Wednesday, BBMP Chief Commissioner and District Election Officer Tushar Girinath inspected the mustering center at Yelahanka Seshadripuram College.

Speaking to reporters on the sidelines of the inspection, Girinath said there are a total of 8,802 polling booths in Bengaluru and around 41,000 officers, including additional 20 per cent officers, have been deployed.

He added that all the polling officers came to the mustering centres under the jurisdiction of the four Additional District Election Officers of the city and collected their EVMs, control units, VVPAT machines and all the material required at the polling booths, and left for their assigned booths on BMTC, KSRTC buses and other vehicles on Tuesday.

Girinath informed that all kinds of facilities, including accommodation and drinking water, have been provided at all the polling booths.

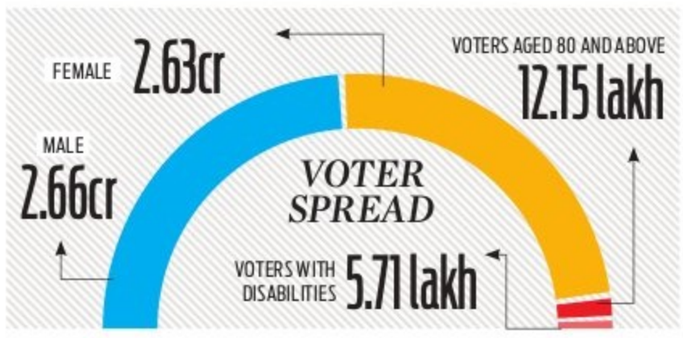
Voting will start from 7 am and will go on till 6 pm. A mock polling will be done at 5.30 am. Also, all kinds of minimum basic facilities have been arranged, so that voters do not face any problems, Girinath said.

He said a safe route has already been prepared for the Ballot Unit (EVM), Control Unit (CU), and VVPATs to reach booths from the mustering centres. With regard to EVM errors, if any, the route officer assigned to the booths by the sector magistrate will make an alternative arrangement.

Action against IT firms not allowing staff to vote

BBMP Chief Commissioner and Bengaluru Urban District Election Officer Tushar Girinath has issued a stern warning to IT companies not allowing its employees to vote by forcefully making them work. "There have been some complaints stating that a few companies have not declared election holiday and are not allowing their employees to vote. Action will be taken against such companies under the People's Representation Act," Girinath told TNIE.

Border Security Force personnel arrive for security duty at a polling booth, at the BBMP School in Chamarajpet, in Bengaluru on Tuesday | VINOD KUMAR T



Daily Starscope

PETER VIDAL

10TH May : Keep an eye on Scorpio people today: it seems likely that they'll be making the running in most areas. That doesn't mean that everyone else has to take second - or third - place, just that Scorpios will often have the best ideas and frequently the energy to carry them through. What they'll need from everyone else, though, is a steadying hand.

ARIES (Mar 21 - Apr. 20)
Professional hopes can be raised by today's rather ambitious mood, but it seems likely that community activities could be more important. It's almost as if you're about to take care of the local environment in some way. And why not? It's about time you exercised your natural authority!

TAURUS (Apr. 21 - May 21)
It's time to begin to take command, and you can start by ascertaining the precise legal position, or at the very least by seizing the moral high ground. There may also be travel plans to arrange, so get to it! You really have no excuse for not doing your level best.

GEMINI (May 22 - June 21)
This is no time for dwelling on 'what might have been', but for concentrating on 'what is'. Make a start by licking financial affairs into order, and ascertaining that you are in a good position to gain from future developments. You need to be sure that you are in charge, if only for your own peace of mind.

CANCER (June 22 - July 23)
You may have to give some ground at home but, curiously, even the slightest gesture might be enough. Or, to put it another way, it's the thought that counts. A trip to the past could be a good idea, perhaps as a refuge from the trials and tribulations of the present.

LEO (July 24 - Aug. 23)
This is not a day for frills and frivolities, but for doing all those things that need to be done. That goes for social arrangements, by the way, so get on the phone, write letters, and issue invitations. Oh, and listen carefully to a friend who has a favour to ask. You know it makes sense.

VIRGO (Aug. 24 - Sept. 23)
You may lighten up and take a little time off. With luck, daily events should take care of themselves so, if you sit back and trust that everything will turn out all right, you should be able to coast along. Your natural caution is probably your greatest asset, as it happens.

LIBRA (Sept. 24 - Oct. 23)
You may lay down the law and force others to obey your will at home. At least, you can try! Obviously, only you know how far you can go, but you could find partners considerably more malleable than they've been for weeks. Actually, your best plan is to support other people when they're in the right.

SCORPIO (Oct. 24 - Nov. 22)
You have given partners and colleagues every opportunity to meet you in the middle and agree a new way of doing things. It is now up to them to get on and fulfil their promises, but you must give them time. You should probably also offer them extra support.

SAGITTARIUS (Nov. 23 - Dec. 22)
Money is, of course, very important to your state of mind, even though you are more capable than most people of seeing that it is not everything. That said, the simplest reading of today's stars is that it's a perfect moment to cheer yourself up by wandering around the shops!

CAPRICORN (Dec. 23 - Jan. 20)
There is a higher than usual chance of strange dreams, and you may be vaguely perplexed by feelings or half-formed memories which can't quite be pinned down. Your unconscious is at work, and it's important to try and understand what it's saying. You never know what you might discover!

AQUARIUS (Jan. 21 - Feb. 19)
There can be little doubt that this is still a highly significant moment for a number of you, and that there are many changes still to occur in your own life and aspirations. Today, you may take some time off to busy yourself with projects which are purely personal.

PISCES (Feb. 20 - Mar 20)
You should reinforce all social contacts, today. It seems likely that you have become indispensable to a certain person or group of people - or so they think. You may put forward your ideas and persuade partners that you are indeed completely right on everything!

Solutions to Yesterday's puzzle

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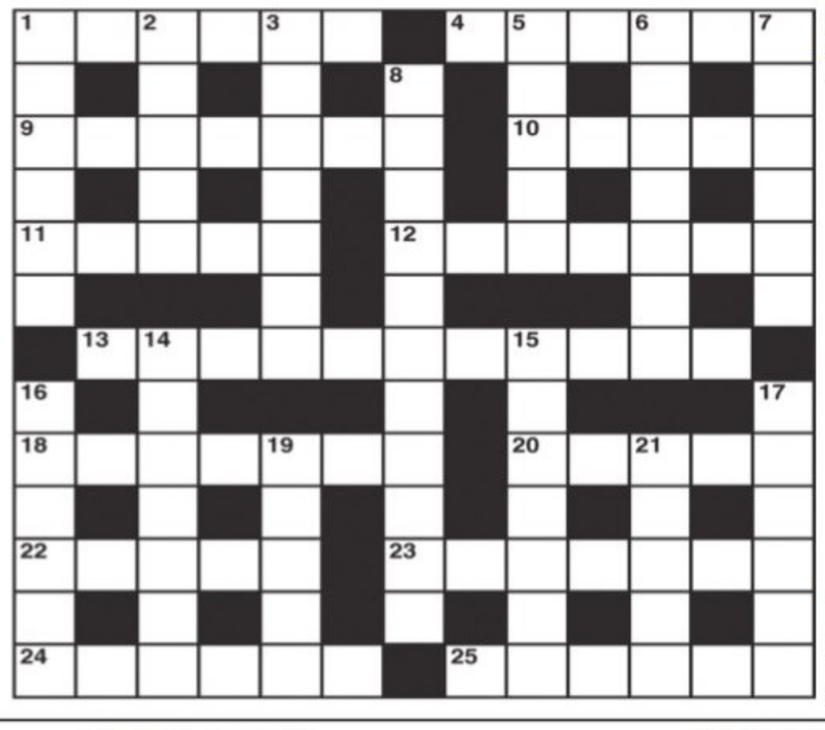

CROSS WORD

ACROSS

1 Nothing more than a 50-50 chance nevertheless (4,2)
4 A fighting man I go to join up (6)
9 Call again (7)
10 Does nothing to correct the slide (5)
11 It may be used to measure a diamond in a ring perhaps (5)
12 Got together after an important point cropped up (7)
13 One may be powerless without it (11)
18 Daily journalist (7)
20 Guide back to the border (5)
22 Cat - one of a number in the pound (5)
23 To round off, become pompous (7)
24 Animal turned by shipwrecked sailor into soup? (6)
25 When collections are worth having (6)

DOWN

1 Incense - a green variety (6)
2 Not a star - but more (5)
3 Cast in a very bad shape (7)
5 Ring quick. It's a girl! (5)
6 Please put the lamp out (7)
7 Desire to live in a new way (6)
8 Considerate about profanity (11)
14 Motorist waiting for a chance to pass (7)
15 They have taken cover on hills (7)
16 Expert - for a doctor nothing to it (6)
17 French studies (6)
19 I get a contract that's absolutely right (5)
21 See the purpose of a parasite (5)

YESTERDAY'S SOLUTIONS

Across: 1 Distant, 5 Tacks, 8 Bird of ill omen, 9 Story, 10 Tensile, 11 Fasten, 12 Clasps, 15 Realism, 17 Going, 19 Mathematician, 20 Nurse, 21 Theseus.

Down: 1 Debts, 2 Serious matter, 3 Acolyte, 4 Thirty, 5 Talon, 6 Commit suicide, 7 Singers, 11 Foreman, 13 Lignite, 14 Impart, 16 Irene, 18 Genus.

JUMBLE

UNSCRAMBLE THESE JUMBLES, ONE LETTER TO EACH SQUARE, TO FORM FOUR ORDINARY WORDS.

BY DAVID L. HOYT AND JEFF KNUREK

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How's it going?
Our new coffee table will be ready very soon!
SHE'D BE DONE APPLYING LACQUER TO THE TABLE WHEN IT WAS ---
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Now arrange the circled letters to form the surprise answer, as suggested by the above cartoon.

Print answer here:

(Answers tomorrow)

Yesterday's Jumbles: AORTA WHIRL ELEVEN FONDLY
Answer: They missed their chance to buy the boathouse, but they weren't going to — DWELL ON IT

The Railway Protection Force seized 19 kg of ganja worth nearly Rs 20 lakh from two passengers on the Prashanti Express on its way from Bhubaneswar to KSR Bengaluru on Tuesday, at around 11.30 pm, between Baiyappanahalli and Channasandra railway stations, when the duo jumped off the slowing train. Patrolling RPF staff caught them red-handed with ganja in their bags.

S'mogga case: NIA unable to trace fund source

Accused received funds from online handler 'Colonel' through his friends' crypto account

YATHIRAJU @ Bengaluru

The NIA investigation into the stabbing of a youth in Shivamogga city over the Veer Savarkar issue revealed that the accused, Maaz Muneer Ahmed, had received funds from an online handler 'Colonel' through his friends' crypto account and the other accused, Rishaan Tajuddin and Huzair Farhan Baig. They want to further terrorist activities of Islamic State (IS) in the country, NIA said.

The investigation disclosed that the source of funds is yet to be identified as the money came from foreign-based crypto exchanges, and the investigating officer is analysing data to trace the source. It is unable to find out now as the accused persons used online applications like Mega, Status, IMO, Element, Session, Protected Text, etc to mask their identity.

These revelations were made by NIA in a report submitted to a Special Court in the city, seeking extension of judicial custody of the four accused involved in the stabbing of Prem Singh in Doddapete police station of Shivamogga, in August 2022.

Taking note of the report, Special Court Judge CM Gangadhara allowed the NIA application to extend the detention period of the four from 135 days

to 180 days, as collection of evidence is still under progress, and substantiative investigation is pending.

In the 2,90,053-page report, the investigation officer found 2,491 video files, 10,767 audio files, 664 documents, 1,16,687 image files, more than 5,000 chat files and 2,110 foreign numbers in the electronic gadgets seized from the accused. Analysis of the report is under progress and requires time, NIA said.

The probe also revealed that the accused were directed by the online handler to further IS activities such as recce, arson and sabotage of vehicles and properties. The online handler is yet to be traced and identified.

Pointing out that many suspicious transactions were found and counter/B-party details of such transactions are being collected from banks, the NIA informed court that further detention of the accused in judicial custody is necessary up to 180 days, as stipulated in the Unlawful Activities (Prevention) Act.

RUSH HOUR

People rush to catch buses to go to their home towns to exercise their franchise, at Majestic Bus Terminal on Tuesday | VINOD KUMAR T

EXPRESS READ

HC issues notice to CID on ADGP Paul's habeas corpus plea

Bengaluru: The Karnataka HC on Tuesday issued notice to the Criminal Investigation Department (CID) on a habeas corpus petition filed by ADGP Amrit Paul, who is in judicial custody in connection with a police sub-inspectors' recruitment scam. A vacation division bench of Justice SR Krishna Kumar and Justice Venkatesh Naik T issued the notice after hearing the petition filed by Paul, alleging illegal detention, and adjourned the hearing to June 5. Paul, who is accused No 35, was arrested on July 4, 2022, and later handed over to judicial custody on July 30, 2022. Counsel for the accused stated that the remand order passed by the special court, earlier orders passed by the magistrate, and detention of the accused were sans authority of law. The accused filed the application for cancellation of remand and setting him at liberty, but the trial court rejected it in March 2023. He continued the remand of the accused without taking cognisance of the offence after filing of chargesheet, the counsel pleaded.

'India using culture as form of diplomacy'

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THE United Nations (UN) adopting June 21 as International Yoga Day is an "example of how India is tapping on culture as a major form of diplomacy," said Deepti Navaratna, TV Raman Pai Chair Professor, National Institute of Advanced Studies (NIAS), in her talk on 'Culture, Soft Power and Diplomacy' during the NIAS-Azadi Ka Amrit Mahotsava (AKAM) conference on Monday.

"The country's leadership has increasingly focused on its significant diasporic presence, multicultural values and offerings through official campaigns and even include these in mandates for foreign visits. With the changing geopolitical scenario, India's soft power strategy could be to draw attention to its spectacular cultural legacy and employ it to shape foreign policy. AYUSH will be the next totem (of cultural diplomacy), as reported in the Parliamentary Standing Committee report of 2022," she added.

AKAM is an initiative of the centre to celebrate and commemorate 75 years of independence and the history of it's people, culture and achievements. "Till date over 1.64 lakh official programmes have been organised across India and the world as a part of Amrit Mahotsav," said Shailesh V Gaur, Adjunct Professor, NIAS .

Bank of Baroda launches digital banking unit

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Bank of Baroda inaugurated their first Digital Banking Unit (DBU) in Gangamma Circle, Bengaluru. The DBU is the first of its kind in the city, wherein 32 services can be delivered at one place. This includes cash deposits and withdrawals, passbook entry, account opening, retail loan and credit card application submissions, balance certificate and cheque book issuance among others.

PVT SCHOOL RECEIVES HOAX BOMB THREAT EMAIL

EXPRESS NEWS SERVICE @ Bengaluru

A reputed private school in the outskirts of the city received a bomb threat email claiming that 'explosive devices were planted' on Tuesday.

After a thorough search by the Hebbagodi police along with the dog squad and bomb disposal squad, the officials declared the bomb threat as hoax.

The email was sent to the mail ID displayed on the official website of Ebenezer International School, Bangalore on the Singena Agrahara Road, via Huskur Road.

The police, who were informed about the threat, sent the staff out of the school premises. Since it is summer vacation, there was nobody in the school except for admin staff.

"The mail was sent on Tuesday morning. We immediately alerted the Hebbagodi police who thoroughly checked till noon. Even though the school was largely empty, we did not take the threat lightly," said a non-teaching staff.

The police have collected details of the mail and have sought help from cyber experts to find the source.

It may be recalled that in April, last year, a similar hoax email was received by the school along with 20 other private schools across the city. Further investigations are on.

GRADUATION CEREMONY

The 14th Graduation Ceremony of GITAM (Deemed to be University), Bengaluru campus is scheduled on 20th May 2023 (Saturday). The candidates who are qualified for the award of Degree during the academic year 2022-23 from Bengaluru campus are eligible to apply on or before 15th May 2023.

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5	Deputy Manager (Software Developer)	5
6	Deputy Manager (Java Developer)	3
7	Deputy Manager (Network Engineer)	3
8	Deputy Manager (CRM Developer)	3
9	Deputy Manager (Production Deployment & Support)	3
10	Deputy Manager (Infrastructure Engineer)	2
11	Deputy Manager (Middleware Engineer)	2
12	Deputy Manager (Developer-OFSAA)	2
13	Deputy Manager (Informatica/ ETL Developer)	2
14	Deputy Manager (Treasury Support)	2
15	Deputy Manager (Microsoft Active Directory Services)	2
16	Deputy Manager (DevOps)	1
17	Deputy Manager (Middleware Administrator WebLogic)	1
18	Deputy Manager (System Administrator Linux)	1
19	Assistant Manager (Java Developer)	64
20	Assistant Manager (Full Stack Developer)	14
21	Assistant Manager (.Net Developer)	6
22	Assistant Manager (Angular Developer)	4
23	Assistant Manager (Software Developer)	10
24	Assistant Manager (Endpoint Security Support)	6
25	Assistant Manager (Developer - OFSAA)	5
26	Assistant Manager (Microsoft Active Directory Services)	5
27	Assistant Manager (IIB Developer)	4
28	Assistant Manager (BMC/SANOVI Support)	4
29	Assistant Manager (Android Developer)	4
30	Assistant Manager (Ios Developer)	4
31	Assistant Manager (PI/Sql Developer)	3
32	Assistant Manager (Platform Engineer)	2
33	Assistant Manager (Devops Admin)	1
	Contractual Positions	
34	Assistant VP (Technology Architect)	2
35	Assistant VP (DevOps Architect)	2
36	Assistant VP (API Architect)	2
37	Assistant VP (Infrastructure Architect)	2
38	Assistant VP (Program Manager)	1
39	Assistant VP (Application Architect)	2
40	Assistant VP (Security Architect)	1
41	Assistant VP (Data Architect)	2
42	Assistant VP (Cloud Architect)	2
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Tender No : SE/PHC/KKD/14/2023-24, SE/PHC/KKD/16/2023-24.
AMRUT-2.0 -1) UWSS To Payyoli Municipality-Construction, Commissioning of 22 LL OHSR, Supplying, laying, testing and commissioning of Clear water transmission main and distribution system and providing fhtc-2) WSS to Vadakara Municipality -Construction of 20 Lakh Litre OHSR at Puthiyappu, Rehabilitation of Existing Components, Extension of Pipelines and Providing FHTCs EMD : Rs. 500000/- , 200000/-, Tender fee : Rs. 16540/-, 11025/-, Last Date for submitting Tender : 09-06-2023 05:00:pm Phone : 04952371046
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TWEETS OF THE DAY

Priyanka Gandhi
A huge big thank you to my brothers and sisters in Karnataka for the love and warmth with which I was greeted wherever I campaigned...

Narendra Modi
The affection I have received in K'taka over the last few days has been unparalleled. It has strengthened the resolve to make K'taka #1 across all sectors!

Rahul Gandhi
Congress' #5GuaranteesPratigne will relieve people of Karnataka from the pain BJP's 40% Commission Sarkara has inflicted on them...

GET OUT AND VOTE TODAY!

TIMINGS: 7am to 6pm

COUNTING DAY MAY 13

58,545 POLLING BOOTHS

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2.2 LAKH SECURITY PERSONNEL

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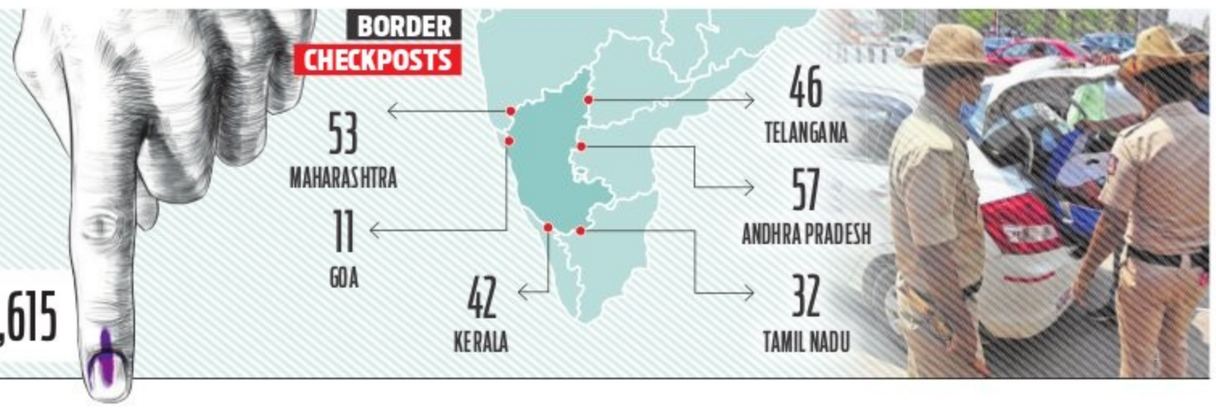

BIG 10 ON MAY 10

Among the 224 Assembly constituencies, some are likely to witness a fierce battle while some assume significance because of the candidates in the fray. *TNIE* lists out the ten seats to watch out for

VARUNA
The pocket borough of former CM **Siddaramaiah** is expected to witness a high-voltage contest with BJP fielding minister V Somanna, a strong Lingayat leader. Somanna's entry into the fray will make the fight tough for Siddaramaiah at his home turf, which has a substantial share of Lingayat votes

CHANNAPATNA
Hoping that the JDS will play the 'kingmaker' role again, former CM **HD Kumaraswamy** is contesting in Channapatna, from where he was elected and became the CM for the second time in 2018. But a five-time MLA from the seat, BJP's CP Yogeshwar is giving his best to make the fight tough. BJP's top leaders, including PM Narendra Modi campaigned for Yogeshwar

KANAKAPURA
A stronghold of KPCC chief **DK Shivakumar**, Kanakapura has found a surprise candidate in Revenue Minister R Ashoka. In the Vokkaliga bastion, the BJP high command seems to have given Ashoka a chance to prove his mettle as a strong leader of the community while also making the competition tough for Shivakumar

SHIGGAON: CM **Basavaraj Bommai** is seeking reelection from this seat in Haveri for the fourth consecutive time. The Congress has fileded Pathan Yasir Ahmed Khan and JDS Shashidhar Yeligar

HUBLI-DHARWAD CENTRAL: **Jagadish Shettar**, former CM and a strong Lingayat leader in the region, cutting his strong ties with the BJP after being denied a ticket and contesting as a Congress candidate has turned the spotlight on this seat. While Shettar is contesting against BJP's Mahesh Tenginakai, the contest is seen as a battle between Shettar and his friends-turned-foes in the BJP

CHITTAPUR
With an audio clip in which BJP candidate Manikanta Rathod, who has criminal antecedents, is allegedly plotting a conspiracy against AICC president Mallikarjun Kharge and his family, going viral, all eyes have turned towards Chittapur, where the former minister and Kharge's son **Priyank Kharge** is the Congress candidate

ATHANI: Former DyCM Laxman Savadi, who set the motion for leaders quitting BJP over denial of tickets, will be fighting it out as a Congress candidate against BJP's Mahesh Kumatalli. The constituency has seen strong campaigning from both camps and is expected to see a tough contest

SHIKARIPURA
With the tallest Lingayat leader and former CM BS Yediyurappa sacrificing the seat for his son **BY Vijayendra**, Shikaripura will be a segment to watch out for

CHAMARAJPET: Former minister and Congress candidate BZ Zameer Ahmed Khan, who has had an easy way in this constituency, will be taking on retired IPS officer and former police commissioner of Bengaluru city, Bhaskar Rao, who is contesting from the BJP

HASSAN: After much deliberation within the party over fielding former minister HD Revanna's wife Bhavani, the JDS fielded party worker Swaroop Prakash against BJP MLA Preetham Gowda. The segment will see a fierce battle for sure as the JDS is making all-out efforts to regain the seat after Preetham challenged JDS leaders to defeat him

'TRACKING E-MONEY TRANSACTIONS A BIG CHALLENGE'

ASHWINI M SRIPAD @ Bengaluru

THE Election Commission has been keeping a close watch on Model Code of Conduct violations to ensure "inducement-free" elections. In an exclusive interview with The New Indian Express, Chief Electoral Officer, Karnataka, **Manoj Kumar Meena** says that keeping track of online money transactions, especially those done through UPI (Unified Payments Interface), has been challenging. He also speaks about the action and arrangements made by the EC to ensure a better voter turnout across the state. Excerpts:

Do you hope that the polling percentage would be better this time?
We have not set a target, but want each eligible voter to step out and vote. We hope for a better voter turnout.

What action has the CEO taken to tackle low voting?
We identified certain polling booths and pockets that had shown lesser voting percentages. Our officials reached these places, interacted with community members, discussed issues and appealed to them to vote. The polling day is in the middle of the week. We hope that with rain, the weather will be pleasant and not harsh. We hope for better voting this time.

This time, the seizure of money, liquor and other freebies has set a record. How did this happen?
We had conducted meetings with stakeholders from the state and central agencies for the last six months. Other than our routine checkup at checkposts and other places by our personnel, we had also instructed them to closely track people (other than candidates) who are associated with political parties, and friends, relatives and close associates of candidates to prevent distribution of money and other items.

What about online transactions?
We have conducted many meetings with online payment app companies, including Google Pay, PhonePay, Paytm and others. We also conducted meetings with Reserve Bank of India officials and National Payment Corporation of India, which is a regulatory body for online transactions. This is new for us and challenging too. We have a set of analysts who track the patterns. If we found something suspicious, we looked at them. We have got certain cases, we are probing it.

What about Bengaluru's voting percentage which is far lower than the state average?
This time, the BBMP team has conducted extensive awareness programmes. The BBMP chief commissioner and zonal commissioners also held meetings with over 430 apartment welfare associations and resident welfare associations. We hope that more from Bengaluru will vote this time.

DC CHASES CAR, NABS BJP MEN IN KALABURAGI

RAMAKRISHNA BADSESHI @ Kalaburagi

IN a midnight drama on Monday, Kalaburagi Deputy Commissioner Yeshwant Gurkar chased down a car and caught two BJP followers and handed them over to police in Kalaburagi city. Gurkar told TNIE on Tuesday that he received a phone call when he was on night rounds, that BJP activists were distributing money to residents of Sangameshwar Colony. He rushed to the spot, and found a car and some men in the locality. On spotting Gurkar, they got into their car to try and escape, and Gurkar's car gave chase. On the way, one man hopped off the car with a bag, allegedly containing cash.

Finally, the DC's car managed to stop the fugitives near Vidyanagar. There were two men in the car, including the the driver. Gurkar said he caught hold of Shivanand Huli, allegedly a BJP follower, and the car driver, and handed them over to the police, besides lodging a complaint. Congress candidate from Gulbarga-Dakshin Allamaprabhu Patil addressed a press conference on Tuesday, and said that around 11.30pm Monday, some Congress activists had noticed 8-10 vehicles at Sangameshwar Colony where BJP activists were going door to door and distributing money to residents. The BJP candidate was accompanying his followers. When they saw the Congress activists following them, they switched off power.

Patil said one of his followers, Shankar, caught hold of BJP MLA Dattatreya Patil Revoor, but his followers pushed Shankar and Revoor fled the spot. Congress activists contacted the DC, who rushed to the spot, and caught the BJP men. The Election Commission should consider the incident seriously and create an atmosphere so citizens can vote without fear, Patil added.

Revoor too addressed a press conference to deny that his followers were distributing money. He said they were returning home after a door-to-door campaign when Congress activists manhandled them to create fear among voters.

No complaint filed: Priyank

Former minister Priyank Kharge, who is head of the communication and social media wing of KPCC, claimed that no case was registered against the BJP activists, though the Deputy Commissioner himself has filed a complaint of violation of the model poll code.

In a hurried press conference here on Tuesday evening, Priyank said DC Gurkar had caught the Innova in which the BJP activists were allegedly carrying cash and liquor for distribution, but an FIR was not registered. He demanded a proper inquiry into the incident.

Ganja, sarees, cookers and booze....

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A press release issued by the EC on Tuesday stated that the Enforcement Directorate attached assets valued at Rs 288 crore after the Model Code of Conduct (MCC) came into force.

Notable seizures included Rs 4.04 crore in cash at Bangarapet in Kolar district, 100 kg of ganja in Bidar and liquor in some districts. Sarees and food-kits were seized in Kalaburagi, Chikkamagaluru and other districts. Pressure cookers and kitchen appliances were seized in Bailhongal, Kunigal and other constituencies.

The officials were instructed to strengthen vigilance without causing any inconvenience to the public and ensure a thorough follow up seizure operation. Seizure of cash, liquor, drugs, precious metals and freebies at border check-posts amounted to Rs 70 crore.

Rs 1.9cr cash seized in B'luru

CCB sleuths and the flying squad have seized Rs 1.9 crore in cash from the office of a pharma company in Cottonpet police jurisdictions on Tuesday evening. "Acting on a credible information, the officials raided the office and seized the cash. Three persons who were present in the office at the time of the raid have been handed over to the Income Tax Department for further verification," SD Sharanappa, Joint Commissioner of Police (Crime), told *TNIE*.

Meanwhile in Hassan, the police have so far seized Rs 1.87 crore in cash and Rs 1.04 crore worth liquor at different checkposts in the district. Also, gifts worth Rs 1.28 crore were confiscated.

CLP leader Siddaramaiah and KPCC chief DK Shivakumar outside the Chamundeshwari temple atop Chamundi Hills in Mysuru on Tuesday | UDAYASHANKAR S

Amid a 'fake' letter, show of unity by Siddu, Shivakumar

K SHIVA KUMAR @ Mysuru

IN a public show of unity, Congress Legislature Party leader Siddaramaiah and KPCC president DK Shivakumar on Tuesday visited the Chamundeshwari temple atop the Chamundi Hills in Mysuru and offered a special puja.

This comes on a day when a purported letter allegedly written by Siddaramaiah on his letterhead to AICC president Mallikarjun Kharge accusing Shivakumar of taking unilateral decisions and snubbing his supporters went viral on social media. Siddaramaiah, however, called the letter — dated May 8 — as fake.

Sensing that it would send a wrong message to the party's rank and file demoralising them just a day ahead of the Assembly elections, Shivakumar and Siddaramaiah went to the famous hill shrine in the same car.

Both Shivakumar and Siddaramaiah, a former chief minister, have expressed their desire to occupy the top post if the Congress is voted to power in the polls.

Meanwhile, calling the letter fake, Siddaramaiah said the letter was scripted by the BJP and RSS to create confusion among Congress workers. He said that he will lodge a complaint with the Election Commission and appeal to the police to investigate the origin of the letter.

Taking to Twitter, Siddaramaiah appealed to the Congress workers not to get fooled by such rumours and reiterated that the relationship between him and Shivakumar is cordial. Siddaramaiah also appealed to the voters not to be carried away by false assurances and narratives and appealed to vote for the Congress that takes all sections of society together.

Meanwhile, Shivakumar and Siddaramaiah broke a coconut announcing that they will implement the Congress' guarantees when voted to power. The Congressmen said that they offered a puja to the presiding deity praying for a Congress victory for the welfare of the state's people.

IT OFFICIALS TAKE WIFE, DAUGHTER-IN-LAW OF HIRIYUR JDS CANDIDATE FOR PROBE

CHITRADURGA: Income Tax officials on Tuesday took the wife of Hiriyur JDS candidate M Raveendrappa, Latha, and his daughter-in-law Shwetha to Bengaluru to get information about the locker that was not revealed during the recent raid conducted over various premises belonging to the candidate. The police said the two women have been taken for investigation and it is not an arrest. JDS Chitradurga district president Jayanna M alleged that both BJP and Congress are playing petty politics by troubling the JDS candidate. They will not be successful as the sympathy wave is favouring Raveendrappa, he added. During the April 28 raid, the IT officials had seized several documents and issued a notice to Raveendrappa M to appear for investigation. But he could not go as he was busy with campaigning.

BJP violates code in Bableshwar, Patil tweets, cases filed

BANSY KALAPPA @ Bengaluru/Vijayapura

IN a series of tweets, Bableshwar Congress candidate **MB Patil** said the Bharatiya Janata Party had violated the model code of conduct and demanded that party candidate Vijay Gouda Patil be disqualified.

"BJP Bableshwar candidate is travelling with vehicles with no number plates while the police watch on... The law seems to be dead in Vijayapura. The machinery is working at the behest of the BJP candidate. The BJP candidate is addressing rallies while SP, DC and ECI are sleeping. This is a gross violation," he tweeted.

"Reportedly, DSP Girmalappa Thalakatti has been attacked by BJP Bableshwara candidate Vijugouda Patil and his goons in Tikota Town. Jungle Raj is ruling Vijaypura. This lawlessness is impacting free and fair elections. BJP Babaleshwara candidate needs to be disqualified," Patil tweeted and put up pictures of the vehicles used.

In response, Vijayapura SP HD Anand Kumar said, "I have personally charged the people gathered at Tikota and other places. Police also chased and intervened 3 cars and all the three cars have been seized, FIRs are being registered for violation of 144, and MCC and illegal vehicle usage..... will ensure."

Three vehicles used for the illegal campaign were seized and three cases booked, but since the election is on Wednesday, no arrests were made, Additional SP Shankar Marihal.

Chief Electoral Officer Manoj Kumar Meena confirmed that cases had been booked and Section 144 clamped, and that EC was taking up the cases.

When contacted, Vijay Gouda Patil agreed that three vehicles had been seized, however, he made counter allegations against MB Patil's brother Sunil Gouda.

POLL SHOTS

Congress video shows all is not well in the party, says Bommai

HUBBALLI: CM Basavaraj Bommai on Tuesday ridiculed a video posted by Congress to project unity among its top leaders, Siddaramaiah and DK Shivakumar, saying that itself shows all is not well within the party. Bommai opined in Shiggaon that such an orchestrated interview should not be done for the sake of television. There is no need for such drama in BJP as the entire party is united, he added. Activists of Vishwa Hindu Parishad and Bajrang Dal had organised a recital of Hanuman Chalisa as part of their resistance to Congress' promise to ban Bajrang Dal. Bommai joined them along with top leaders of local BJP. **ENS**

DKS asks partymen to keep LPG cylinders at camp offices near booths

BENGALURU: KPCC president DK Shivakumar has asked his party workers to keep an empty LPG cylinder at the party's camp offices near polling booths across the state. The idea is to remind people just before they vote that LPG prices have shot up considerably under the BJP government. Shivakumar, after offering puja to an LPG cylinder at the KPCC office in Bengaluru, said that before the 2014 elections, PM Modi had asked people to pray to an LPG cylinder before they went to vote. "Now, I am appealing our party workers to keep empty cylinder at the camp office near the booths," he said. The cylinder will be kept outside the 100-yard radius of the polling booth, he said. **ENS**

The Supreme Court on Tuesday agreed to hear on May 15 a plea challenging the Kerala High Court's order refusing to stay the screening of the controversial film 'The Kerala Story' which hit the screens on May 5

Karnataka postal staffers violate MCC, to face action

S LALITHA @ Bengaluru

AT least 30 employees of the Karnataka Postal Circle have violated the Model Code of Conduct issued by the Election Commission for the Assembly polls, by meeting BJP ministers in the last fortnight in Bengaluru and Shivamogga.

In photos released on social media, they are even spotted wearing saffron shawls and posing for pictures. The Postal department is actively involved in the electoral process with 2,000 employees, including 1,408 in Bengaluru alone, being assigned poll-related duty as Returning Officers or Observers. The EC has confirmed that such actions violate the code of conduct and action would be taken. Photos released on May 5 by Sundaresh B Janardhan of the Bharatiya Postal Employees Union (affiliated to Bharatiya Mazdoor Sangh) on Facebook reveal a group of employees welcoming Communications Minister Ashwini Vaishnaw at Shivamogga airport and submitting a memorandum to him.

In another video shared by one Lingesh on WhatsApp on April 24, bouquets and shawls are being handed over by the employees to welcome Minister of State for Communications Devusingh Chauhan at Bengaluru airport. The words below the video state it too. A source recalled spotting 15 of them at airport.

"These acts violate the model code of conduct," Additional Chief Election Officer, Karnataka, Venkatesh Kumar said. The issue has been escalated to the District Election Officer in Bengaluru and Shivamogga, he added.

Goa declares paid poll holiday for K'taka workers

BELAGAVI: Goa government has announced a paid holiday for its employees hailing from Karnataka to help them vote in the Assembly elections on Wednesday. More than 50,000 people from Belagavi, Bagalkot, Vijaypura, Dharwad, Hubballi and other parts of North Karnataka work in various government departments and private sector organisations in Goa. Many work as daily wage earners and at construction sites across Goa. Many employees left for their hometowns in Karnataka on Tuesday evening. Buses from Goa to cities and towns in North Karnataka were full. Leaders of some political parties arranged private buses and other vehicles to bring workers to their hometowns. **ENS**

HOT ON THE TERROR TRAIL

Police personnel patrol outside the house of an accused, in Chennai on Tuesday

NIA arrests five PFI men in TN over terror links

EXPRESS NEWS SERVICE @Chennai:

THE National Investigation Agency (NIA) officials on Tuesday arrested five people in connection with the conspiracy case booked against Popular Front of India (PFI), an organisation which was banned by the union government last year.

The NIA in a statement said the accused had conspired and planned to eliminate their 'perceived enemies' who were not aligned to PFI ideology and were opposed to its plans to establish an Islamic State in India by 2047. "In pursuance of the conspiracy, the accused had radicalised a large number of PFI cadres, especially youth, handpicked by the outfit's leadership, and had also trained them in the use of different kinds of weapons to assault, maim and kill their adversaries," the NIA said. The searches were conducted by the NIA at six locations in the districts of Theni, Dindigul, Madurai and Chennai. Places searched included properties of the accused and houses and farmhouses. The five arrested have been identified as Abdul Razzak (47) of Chennai, advocates Mohamed Yusuf (35) and M Mohamed Abbas (45) of Madurai, A Kyzer (45) of Dindigul and Sathik Ali (39) of Theni.

With this, the total number of people arrested in the Tamil Nadu PFI criminal conspiracy case has gone up to 15. Incriminating material, including weapons, digital devices and documents were seized during the searches, sources said.

The case was first registered on September 19 last year. The agency filed a chargesheet against 10 of the accused on March 17 this year.

5 from Hyd among 16 held

EXPRESS NEWS SERVICE @Hyderabad

THE Counter Intelligence Cell of Telangana police, in a joint operation with the Anti-Terrorist Squad of Madhya Pradesh, detained 16 persons, including five from Hyderabad and the rest from Bhopal, allegedly associated with a radical Islamist organisation called "Hizb-ut-Tahrir" (HuT) early on Tuesday.

According to the police, the five persons from Hyderabad were regularly interacting with top leaders of HuT online regarding provocative speeches that could vitiate the peaceful atmosphere in the country. A sixth accused is absconding, the police said.

A senior officer from Telangana police said that pistols, two airguns, pellets, and "Jihadi" literature were seized from them. He said that some of these five accused had adopted Hindu names and taken shelter in Hyderabad. The senior officer said that the arrested accused were in touch with their handlers in Pakistan and Bangladesh. They were spreading HuT ideology to "become a more dangerous terrorist group than ISIS," he said.

Police officials said that the group members planned to move abroad and take training in arms as well as chemical, bacteriological, and biological warfare. They said that the Intelligence Bureau and NIA had been keeping a watch on the online discussions of these HuT sympathisers for the last three months and swooped in on them early on Tuesday.

Police identified the arrested accused as 41-year-old Mohammed Saleem alias Saurabh Raj Vaidhya, son of Ashok Raj Vaidhya, who is working as the HoD in a prominent pharmaceutical biotechnology college in Hyderabad.

Train arson attack: NIA grills Saifi's friends

Kochi: The National Investigation Agency (NIA) is questioning the friends of Shahrukh Saifi, the accused in the Elathur arson attack case, at its office in Kochi. Following a summons, Shahrukh's parents, relatives and friends reached Kochi for the interrogation. One of Shahrukh's friends is being questioned in detail on suspicion that he was aware of the accused's plans. The agency is verifying whether the friend provided assistance for the attack. **ENS**

MUSLIM QUOTA

CM accuses Kharge of twisting facts

EXPRESS NEWS SERVICE @ Hubballi

CHIEF Minister Basavaraj Bommai accused AICC president Mallikarjun Kharge of twisting facts on the Supreme Court's order on Tuesday on the 4 per cent Muslim quota.

Kharge had said that the apex court had stayed the state government's order and the old rule on the reservation for Muslims would continue.

Taking a serious exception to his remark, Bommai said on Tuesday, "The Supreme Court has not stayed the government order and the order that was passed by my government is still in force. The court has put off its implementation till the hearing gets over."

Congress is trying to hide the truth by stating lies, he added. Lashing out at Kharge, he said the previous Congress governments failed to increase the quota for SCs and STs and reclassified the internal quota among SCs. Congress also conspired to remove Banjara, Bhovi, Koracha and Korama communities from the SC list by approaching the apex court, he added.

Though the increase in quota for SC/STs, and reclassification of internal reservation of SC communities are not before the court, Kharge has been mixing it with the OBC quota, which is not fair on the part of the senior leader, Bommai said.

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SALE PROCLAMATION FORM NO-22

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Last date for Bid Submission	**20.06.2023 till 3.00 P.M**
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2 Number of Works : 1 No.
3 Amount Put to tender (Excl. GST) : Rs 3,52,868.75
4 Date & Time of availability of Bid Documents : From 10/05/2023 (07:00 AM) to 23/05/2023 (11.00 AM)
5 Last Date & Time of Bidding : Up to 11.00 AM of 23/05/2023
6 Date & Time of Opening of Bid : 23 05.2023 of 12.00 PM
7. The Bidders have to participate in bidding and they are required to send hard copies to this office. Further details can be seen from the website: **www.dowrodisha.gov.in.** Any addendum/ corrigendum/ cancellation of tender can also be seen in the said site

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For and on behalf of State Industries Promotion Corporation of Tamil Nadu Limited, tenders are invited under **"Two Cover System"** through online only for the following work from **Class–IA** State Level Civil Contractors registered in PWD / Highways / Any Department of Government of Tamil Nadu, Central Government Department, Tamil Nadu State Government Undertaking having experience in similar nature of works. Tenders will be received upto **15.30 Hrs** (as per server system clock) on **16.06.2023** and the same will be opened at **15.30** Hrs (as per server system clock) on **19.06.2023.**

Name of Work	Approx. value of work	EMD
"Formation of Internal Roads (Road No: 8, 9, 10, 11, 12 & 13) in Furniture Park at SIPCOT Industrial Park, Thoothukudi"	Rs.**5910.00** lakhs (including GST @18%)	Rs.**29,70,000 /-***

* EMD should be paid through Online in the portal (**tntenders.gov.in**)

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DIPR/2502/Tender/2023
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SALE NOTICE FOR SALE OF IMMOVABLE PROPERTY

E-Auction Sale Notice for sale of immovable assets under the Securitization and Reconstruction of Financial Assets and Enforcement of Security Interest Act, 2002 read with proviso to Rule 8(6) of the Security Interest (Enforcement) Rules, 2002.
E Auction Date & Time : 31.05.2023 at 11:00 AM to 4:00 PM
Last Date of EMD Submission : 30.05.2023 upto 4.00 PM
Property Inspection Date & Time : 29.05.2023 at 11.00 AM to 4.00 PM
Notice is hereby given to public in general and in particular to the Borrower(s) and Guarantor(s) that the below described immovable properties mortgaged/ charged to the secured creditor, the Symbolic possession of which has been taken by the Authorized Officer of Punjab & Sind Bank (secured creditor), will be sold on "As is where is", "As is what is" and "Whatever there is" basis.

S. No.	Name and Address of the Borrower & Guarantors	Detail of Properties along with Boundaries	Demand Notice date U/s. 13(2) & Amount / Present Outstanding amount (secure Debt)	Minimum Reserve Price (Amt. in lacs) / EMD Amount / Bid increase amount	Authorized Officer	EMD submission A/C Details	Property inspection Date & Time	Last Date & time of EMD Submission / Status of Possession
1.	Shri. M Krishna Murthy S/o Shri. M. R. Muddaih Setty	**Schedule-B :** All that piece and parcel of immovable property with existing buildings comprising of four segments namely "Jeevan Griha , Jeevan Mitra, Jeevan Sarthi, and Jeevan Surabhi" consisting of 31blocks with total land area of 5.012 acres/20283 square meters (approx) [excluding block No. 2 & 6 with open land admesuring 0.258 acres/ 1045.14 sq meters (approximately) in Jeevan Griha' Segment] situated in municipal No. 9020, 24th Main Sector-II, 1st phase J P Nagar(Sarakki) Bangalore 560078 and bounded on **East by :** 24th main Road, **West by :** 29th Main Road, **North by :** 9th cross road and **South by :** BDA property site no. 5 and 28 and 10-B Cross road. **Schedule-C:** All that piece and parcel of Residential Flat No.283, 1st Floor, Block No.27, Jeevan Surbhi, Type-F, Category-I, LIC Flats, 10th B Cross, 24th Main, J. P Nagar 1st Phase, Bangalore -560078 consisting of two bed rooms, one living cum dining hall with balcony, one kitchen, one bath and one toilet, build up area including stair area measuring 81.70 sq. meters and undivided share of the land of the first schedule 0.773 sq. meters of the built up area including use of common areas situated in Muncipal No.9020, 24th Main, Sector-II, 1st Phase, J. P Nagar (Sarakki), Bangalore-560078, BBMP PID No.57-41-9020/282-283 at present situated at 10th Cross, 1st Phase, J P Nagar, Bangalore- 560078 bounded on the **East by :** 24th Main Road, **West by :** 29th Main Road, **North by :** 9th Cross Road and **South by :** BDA PROPERTY Site no. 5 and 28 and 10-B Cross road.	Date :16-05-2022 and amount of Rs.24,39,042.60 / Rs.24,66,103.60 on 30.04.2023 plus further interest w.e.f 01.05.2023, costs, other charges and expense thereon.	Rs.66,00,000/- / Rs. 6,60,000/- / Rs. 1,00,000/-	Shri. Rajesh Dutt Chief Manager Mob. No. 8123440391	A/C name- E-Auction PSB-EMD A/C No. 03481100003332 IFSC Code- PSIB0000348 Branch Name- Chickpet	29.05.2023 11.00 am to 4.00 pm	30.05.2023- 4.00 pm / Symbolic possession

***NOTE:** The measurement of above property, however, be verified by the bidders at site and also from the records of the Revenue Authorities prior to participating in auction.
TERMS AND CONDITIONS : For Detailed Terms and Conditions of auction, Visit our Bank's website **www.psbindia.com**

STATUTORY 15 DAYS SALE NOTICE UNDER RULE 8(6) OF THE SARFAESI RULES, 2002

The borrower/guarantors are hereby notified to pay the sum as mentioned above along with up to date interest and ancillary expenses before the date of auction, failing which the property will be auctioned/sold and balance dues if any will be recovered with interest and cost.

Date : 09.05.2023
Place : Bangalore

Authorized Officer

ICICI Bank **Branch Office:** ICICI Bank limited, 1st Floor, West Wing, DSMG, Mythri Centre, Hosur Main Road, Bommanahalli, Bangalore-560068

PUBLIC NOTICE - TENDER CUM E-AUCTION FOR SALE OF SECURED ASSET
[See proviso to rule 8(6)]
Notice for sale of immovable assets

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Sr. No.	Name of Borrower(s)/ Co-Borrowers/ Guarantors/ Loan Account No.	Details of the Secured asset(s) with known encumbrances, if any	Amount Outstanding	Reserve Price / Earnest Money Deposit	Date and Time of Property Inspection	Date & Time of E-Auction
(A)	(B)	(C)	(D)	(E)	(F)	(G)
1.	Mr. S K Devendra (Borrower) M/s Balaji and Co Mr. Krishna Raju, Mrs. S R Bhagya (Co-Borrowers) Loan Account Number LBBNG00002443047	All the piece and parcel of the residential Flat No. F2 situated in the Ground Floor of the building, constructed on schedule 'A' property, having a built up area of 2489.90 Sq. ft. along with 793.84 Sq. feet of undivided right, title and interest over the schedule 'A' property and 2(Two) covered car parking space in the basement floor of the building with the rights in all open spaces and common area of the building situated on the immovable property bearing Municipal No 58/2, PID No. 7-35-58/2, at 17th Cross, Malleswaram, Bangalore.	Rs. 6,45,39, 882.89/- (as on May 10, 2023)	Rs. 2,17,27, 300/- / Rs. 21,73,000/-	May 15, 2023 from 11:00 AM to 02:00 PM	June 08, 2023 from 12:00 PM to 01:00 PM
		All the piece and parcel of the residential Flat No. F3 situated in the First Floor of the building, constructed on schedule 'A' property, having a built up area of 2565.50 Sq. ft. along with 817.94 Sq. feet of undivided right, title and interest over the schedule 'A' property and 2(Two) covered car parking space in the basement floor of the building with the rights in all open spaces and common area of the building situated on the immovable property bearing Municipal No 58/2, PID No. 7-35-58/2, at 17th Cross, Malleswaram, Bangalore.		Rs. 2,23,54, 500/- / Rs. 22,36,000/-		June 08, 2023 from 01:00 PM to 02:00 PM
2.	Mr. S K Devendra (Borrower) M/s Balaji and Co Mr. Krishna Raju, Mrs. S R Bhagya (Co-Borrowers) Loan Account Number LBBNG00002442235	All the piece and parcel of the residential Flat No.F4 situated in the Second Floor of the building, constructed on schedule 'A' property, having a built up area of 2943 Sq. ft. along with 817.94 Sq. feet of undivided right, title and interest over the schedule 'A' property and one covered car parking space in the basement floor of the building with the rights in all open spaces and common area of the building situated on the immovable property bearing Municipal No 58/2, PID No. 7-35-58/2, at 17th Cross, Malleswaram, Bangalore.	Rs. 6,47,32, 291.49/- (as on May 10, 2023)	Rs. 2,26,82, 000/- / Rs. 22,68,200/-	May 15, 2023 from 11:00 AM to 02:00 PM	June 08, 2023 from 02:00 PM to 03:00 PM
		All that piece and parcel of the Residential Flat No.F5 situated in the Third Floor of the building, constructed on schedule 'A' property, having a built up area of 2943 Sq. ft. along with 817.94 Sq. feet of undivided right, title and interest over the schedule 'A' property and one covered car parking space in the basement floor of the building with the rights in all open spaces and common area of the building situated on the immovable property bearing Municipal No 58/2, PID No. 7-35-58/2, at 17th Cross, Malleswaram, Bangalore.		Rs. 2,32,36, 200/- / Rs. 23,24,000/-		June 08, 2023 from 03:00 PM to 04:00 PM

The online auction will take place on the website of e-auction agency **M/s NexXen Solutions Private Limited (URL Link-www.disposalhub.com).** The Mortgagors/ noticee are given a last chance to pay the total dues with further interest till **June 07, 2023** before **04:00 PM** failing which, this/these secured asset/s will be sold as per schedule.
The Prospective Bidder(s) must submit the Earnest Money Deposit (EMD) Demand Draft (DD) (Refer Column E) at **ICICI Bank limited, 1st Floor, West Wing, DSMG, Mythri Centre, Hosur Main Road, Bommanahalli, Bangalore- 560068** on or before **June 07, 2023** before **05:00 PM** and thereafter they need to submit their offer through the above mentioned website only on or before **June 07, 2023** before **05:00 PM** along with scan image of Bank acknowledged DD towards proof of payment of EMD. Kindly note, in case prospective bidder(s) are unable to submit their offer through the website then signed copy of tender documents may be submitted at **ICICI Bank limited, 1st Floor, West Wing, DSMG, Mythri Centre, Hosur Main Road, Bommanahalli, Bangalore- 560068** on or before **June 07, 2023** before **05:00 PM.** Earnest Money Deposit DD/PO should be from a Nationalised/Scheduled Bank in favour of **"ICICI Bank Limited"** payable at **Bangalore.**
For any further clarifications with regards to inspection, terms and conditions of the e-auction or submission of tenders, kindly contact **ICICI Bank Limited** on **9844542086/ 8008999536/ 7304918084.**
Please note that Marketing agencies **1. M/s Matex Net Pvt. Ltd. 2. M/s NexXen Solutions Private Limited** have also been engaged for facilitating the sale of this property.
The Authorised Officer reserves the right to reject any or all the bids without furnishing any further reasons.
For detailed terms and conditions of the sale, please visit **www.icicibank.com/n4p4s**

Date: May 10, 2023
Place: Bangalore

Authorized Officer
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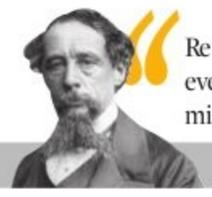

"Reflect upon your present blessings of which every man has many—not on your past misfortunes, of which all men have some

Charles Dickens

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— Ramnath Goenka

YOUR DUTIES DON'T END WITH MERELY CASTING THE BALLOT

Over the past few weeks, political parties in Karnataka, through their state and national leaders, left no stone unturned to convince the electorate on who they should be voting for. On Wednesday, eligible citizens of the state will cast votes to choose their respective candidates from various political parties. In doing so, they will have undertaken one of their most important democratic duties. Hopefully, before the weekend ends, a fair shape of the next government in Karnataka will present itself.

Polling brings a lot of excitement for the citizens—the analyses, speculations, twists and turns of political scenarios, and finally, the results. But citizens should realise there is a whole body of duties beyond voting and determining which party comes to rule the roost. Voting is just one of the duties for a citizen, despite its unarguable importance. It turns out that in the pursuit of rights and freedom, duties take a backseat in the mind of the citizen. That is probably the reason why they had to be laid down in the Indian Constitution like the rights. And yet they remain largely forgotten. That is the likely reason why the eligible among the masses vote and then get back to their lives, oblivious to the duties of a citizen.

The Fundamental Duties have been listed in Part IV–A (Article 51A) of the Indian Constitution, which concern the individuals and the nation. Included among them are: Respecting the ideals and institutions of the Indian Constitution; protecting and improving the natural environment including forests, lakes, rivers and wildlife, and to have compassion for living creatures; promoting harmony and the spirit of common brotherhood amongst all the people of India, transcending religious, linguistic and regional or sectional diversities, and renouncing practices derogatory to the dignity of women; and safeguarding public property and abjuring violence.

How many among the masses are adhering to these in mind and action? Interestingly, many first-time voters seem frustrated as they don't see the duties translating into a changed reality. That is because of a lack of awareness about the duties. Ignorance about citizens' duties and dependence on the government to "get things done" has led to what is being called "electile dysfunction" or the inability to be aroused by any of the political parties that are in the fray. It is time the masses realise that their main duties of the citizens transcend mere voting.

ONDC ENTRY WILL TAKE ON ZOMATO-SWIGGY DUOPOLY

As the IPL teams battle it out in the heat, couch potatoes have a great run in the cool climes of their drawing rooms, wolfing down pizzas delivered by Swiggy and Zomato at their doorstep. One app tracker had estimated Zomato's downloads hit over four million in April when IPL took off, from less than three million in February. But all is not well in these food factories. Customer complaints are flying fast and thick that prices displayed on their phones magically increase by 20% to 40% after placing the order. Add-ons like 'delivery' and mandatory 'tips' take a heavy toll. And it is not that the restaurants are benefitting. Complaints by the National Restaurants Association of India (NRAI) indicate the delivery apps cream off as much as 30% as commission and misuse customer data cleverly to kill consumer choice by targeting foodies with specific offers.

Zomato and Swiggy, to maintain their duopoly, had extinguished competition by buying out smaller players like Scooty and Uber Eats. When they thought they were calling the shots, the government-backed Open Network for Digital Commerce (ONDC) went live in a few cities. The digital platform does not work on its app but allows restaurants to sell food directly to consumers through other buyer apps like Paytm and Magicpin. Consumers using the new platform say prices of the same food items are 20% cheaper as commissions charged are one-third of what is levied by the Big Two. Merchants, too, can choose their strategies on discounts and other marketing parameters.

The ONDC alternative will hopefully curtail monopolistic practices such as repeated hikes in commissions charged to restaurants and arm-twisting merchants to advertise on their platform. If ONDC gains currency, it will empower consumers and food merchants by offering competitive choices. The government should also step in to ensure a level playing field. Food app users complain that restaurants maintain two rate cards—one for direct consumers and a more expensive one for the Zomato/Swiggy buyers to offset high commissions. Needless to say, if ONDC works, these negative practices will be buried quickly in the face of market competition. For that, ONDC must also consider developing and popularising a branded app that will take on Swiggy and Zomato directly. Routing traffic through other payment apps may not be the best strategy to take on the Big Two.

QUICK TAKE

AFGHAN WOMEN'S PLIGHT

UN experts charge Afghanistan's ruling Taliban with inflicting the *most extreme forms of misogyny*. Since August 2021, women have lost their jobs and been barred from workplaces, and girls can't attend high school. They are discouraged from being seen outside their homes. Inexplicable deaths of women are rising. The UN experts worry these preventable deaths may amount to femicide if the restrictions continue unchallenged. It is as if women's exclusion from public places is complete. The international community must do much more than the occasionally loud condemnation and avoid unconditional engagement with the Taliban till women recover their voices and rights.

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REINTRODUCING PLAYFULNESS IN SCIENCE

SHIV VISVANATHAN

Social scientist associated with THE COMPOST HEAP, a group researching alternative imaginations

SOUMYADIP SINHA

Sometimes a small news item commands a different sort of attention than the confetti of election news. The other day it was reported that the government had decided to rationalise the number of autonomous scientific institutions. The word 'rationalise' is an intriguing one. It was popularised by the great German sociologist, Max Weber, and evokes a sense of control and predictability as the very requirement of governance. What one misses during the process of rationalisation is the spirit of play, the ecology of surprises, and a sense of soulfulness of an activity like science.

When science is managerialised and instrumentalised, it becomes Big Science, and what one misses are the diversities of research clusters, especially PhD programs. Big Science as organised hubris confronts a village of Little Sciences as play. When one thinks of play and playfulness, one thinks of legends like C V Raman, K S Krishnan and J C Bose. Play is the catalyst of creativity. Rationalised play becomes a mere game, an instrumentalised rule game with predictable results. Play adds to the unexpected and research in life. Play provides different music to the rhythms of knowledge. I remember Raman dismissing the Council of Scientific and Industrial Research (CSIR) when it was inaugurated, by labelling it "as tombs for the burial of scientific instruments". Play summons the child in you, sometimes literally. A few years ago, the Raman Institute had a program where children were apprenticed to leading scientists. I remember a 10-year-old strutting around with notes, claiming he was studying blackholes.

K S Krishnan captured the same spirit. I recollect a story about him driving through the gates of the National Physical Laboratory (NPL). Krishnan stopped his Studebaker car and rushed down to stop the felling of a tree. He wanted to know why it was being cut. The architects explained that it looked asymmetrical. Krishnan stopped and looked thoughtfully. He then said, "I too have studied symmetry. You create symmetry not by cutting a tree but by planting another one." For Krishnan, science policy was a dismal science of governance that ruined the playfulness of science. I remember a time in the 1950s when Nehru would rush down to the NPL canteen to talk science with Krishnan. This sense of play is missing now that science has become a huge investment. Physicist Ernest Rutherford once insisted, "The Americans have money, we don't, therefore we need to think." Play triggered all forms of talk, from heuristic to fantasy. One misses this today.

One managed with less as one improvised. I remember in the early years at the Raman Institute, diamonds were difficult to obtain. The scientists borrowed them from their wives' earrings and created a new realm of science. Play allows for improvisation. The culture of *jugaad* was once part of the playfulness of science.

Play called for a different kind of accountability from science policy. Mistakes were not punished. I remember the distinguished scientist C V Seshadri saying, "Tell me your most interesting mistakes, and I will tell you what kind of science you are doing." Play adds a different metaphysics of time to science. There is a story about Russian botanist and geneticist Nikolai Vavilov. When he was in Cambridge, he observed that his colleague was deeply empiricist. In his very Russian accent, Vavilov claimed, "X has no phi-lo-sophee."

Recently, I was reading Patrick Geddes' letter to Sister Nivedita about the proposed Indian Institute of Science in Bangalore. Geddes wanted a playful science, a hybrid science which would syncretise two cultures. Like Bose, he wanted a civilisational science that was playful, not a nationalist science that would become jingoist. Playfulness is one of the great bulwarks against the demands of a nation state. For Bose, colonisation and nationalisation are elements which playfulness in its plurality must resist. This is why Geddes said that science should emerge from childhood myths, creating a fecundity of hypotheses.

I remember sitting as a college boy listening to a conversation between scientists including my father, meteorologist C Ramaswamy and astrophysicist Chandrashekhar. It moved between archeology and meteorology. They rattled on for four hours, only stopping for coffee. My grand-aunt wickedly added that even science stopped before filter coffee. She said, "Look at them, quarrelling like happy sparrows over some hypothesis." One wishes one heard more stories like this.

I feel a sense of anxiety when government committees attempt to modify the autonomy of institutions. They literally destroy the ecology of science. A scientist, once editor of *Current Science*, explained it to me. He said that science gave a sense of style to cities like Calcutta and Bangalore. The sense of science added to the freedom of the city. Today's committees can destroy both cities and science. He meant that a governmentalised science would make the city more bureaucratic. His prescient comments have the immediacy of obituary today.

People overplaying the nation state often forget that the real dreams of Indian nationalism were visions of childhood and science. This was true of Gandhi, Tagore, Geddes, Besant and Raman. They dreamt a different science. A science with a different spirit which this regime seeks to clericalise through governmental committees. Protecting autonomous science is a guarantee against clericalised science. This is a promise we need to make to the future. Play and freedom make science and democracy liveable and possible.

This is a task for civil society to keep such worlds of childhood alive. Destroying both the childhood and playfulness of science by clericalising them might be one of the unstated crimes of this regime. I was dreaming for a moment: Imagine a K S Krishnan, a Satish Dhawan, a Raman and a Chandrashekhar chuckling and annotating the Kasturirangan Report.

Science is too precious to be left to clerks and regimes. One needs a playful sense of science to retain a playful attitude to power. One is reminded of a story from the early years of the Nazi era by Austrian journalist Robert Jungk. A scientist worriedly asks his colleague whether the Nazis had damaged science. The latter replies abruptly that they can't as it doesn't exist anymore.

The last paragraph is an addendum to this essay. The man who popularised the idea of play in academics was the Dutch historian Johan Huizinga. He was a Sanskrit scholar who used the Sanskrit idea of *lœela* to outline the culture of medievalism. A playful man, he was dean of the University of Utrecht. When the Nazis demanded he fall in line, he chose to go to the camps. The idea of play seems to be haunted by tragedy in this era.

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MISSING IN *THE KERALA STORY*: BARBARIANS AT THE DOOR

C P SURENDRAN

Poet, novelist, and screenplay writer. His latest novel is *One Love and the Many Lives of Osip B*

The great question that a movie like *The Kerala Story* (or *The Kashmir Files*) raises is not of free speech: the good liberal would not ban it; the not-so-good, like M K Stalin or Mamata Banerjee, would. The great question movies of this persuasion raise is: Do they help you grapple with the violence and intolerance they so graphically portray? *The Kerala Story*, well shot, fails on this count. We leave the theatre frightened and, therefore, cruel because the 'barbarians' are at the door.

To begin with, *The Kerala Story* should have been *A Kerala Story*. The story of a few women who, with their male partners, went on their own accord to join ISIS. Shalini, Geetanjali, Nimah and Bhagyalakshmi are almost devoid of agency. This was not the real case: there was a strong element of volition in their conversion.

But if you showed that, they would not be free of the blame. The one-dimensionality of the characters contributes to the predictability of the action. This does not help. Mainly because the movie begins at a UN incarceration centre on the Iran-Afghanistan border, showing Shalini has already survived her ordeal. The action is shown in a series of flashbacks. The movie then begins with the climax.

There are many scenes of assault, rape and slaughter. Anyone with even superficial exposure to the ISIS video clips and literature would agree that nothing shown in the movie is imaginary.

In a social media note, Ullekh N P, an illustrious journalist, quotes Lynne O' Donnel, an Afghan affairs reporter, saying that ISIS could not have run a jail for 32,000 women (as first claimed by the movie makers) in Afghanistan because the US had the writ of the place.

True, but I see it as consistent with the methodology of the movie itself, so the project becomes more apocalyptic. It is the same need at work in seeing Kerala as a whole under the Love Jihad threat; a character says: 'Kerala is going to be an Islamic State.' Unlikely, Sir.

At the time the movie is set, around 2014, admittedly, a minuscule number of marriages came to be known as Love Jihad. But *The Kerala Story* seems to imply that a handful of marriages of this kind are powerful enough to augur the end of the booming matrimonial industry of the property-conscious Keralites, Marxism notwithstanding.

Since the assumption of the BJP to power in 2014, the nature of Indian cinema has changed. At Inox, for instance, the build-up to the movie was quite symbolic. The screen came alive at first with the patriotic fervour and momentous

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music of *Ayega India*, showcasing the country's achievements in various walks of life, a much more rousing and potent version of the ancient *Indian News Review*—the pedestrian Nehruvian propaganda.

Ayega India was followed by the teaser of *Adipurush*, a movie based on the *Ramayana*, whose pacifist *Maa Nishaada* sentiments clearly have evolved to a martial conclusion in a Prabhas, who seems to have developed biceps even in his ears. The accompanying music praising Lord Ram was warlike.

The next in the nature of things was the trailer of *IB 71*, an Indo-Pak war movie, in which Vidyut Jammval, the equally muscled up soldier-hero, informs Anupam Kher, his seemingly witless superior, of his plans for the utter rout of Pakistan.

And now, we are set for *The Kerala Story*. It all works to a script.

As it happened, the book I took to the theatre to read in the lobby was J M Coetzee's *Waiting for the Barbarians*. It is about an elderly magistrate in a frontier colony of an 'Empire' threatened by the 'Barbarians', summoning from his challenged spiritual reserves a kind of courage and kindness in the face of the compulsive colonial need to have an enemy at the door; and his painful discovery—subject to prolonged torture and abasement—that the rulers are even more barbaric than the primitive enemy they must maim and kill. It is the fear that makes them cruel. The fear also enables them to define a purpose and meaning to their life: power. Without the enemy, they are lost.

The novel is a sustained and saddening feat, managing to salvage for its sensual and sinning protagonist a sliver of grace in his fallen state. He does not belong to either the Empire or the Barbarians. His heroism, shown most strikingly in his love for a blinded and mostly silent Barbarian girl (who cannot return it on account of tribal taboos), is quite meaningless because nothing comes of it save a manifestation of his cussed fidelity to his personal values— a preference of his friend to his nation. Indeed, the only time he feels rested enough to fall asleep is when he washes the broken feet of the girl.

The novel ends with him coming across children building an imperfect snowman in the square of the ruined town: "This is not the scene I dreamed of. Like much else nowadays, I leave it feeling stupid, like a man who lost his way long ago but pressed on along a road that may lead nowhere." It is in the magistrate's desolation that we experience our catharsis. That is what art does. It goes against the grain. It humanises.

The Kerala Story fails on this count. It is not the movie we would like to watch, say, with our Muslim friends. Perhaps that's why it is such a success. It speaks something about our times. And us.

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Tackling alcoholism

With reference to the quick take *Handling alcoholism* (May 9), The Assam CM's offer of VRS is misconceived and non-implementable for obvious reasons. It's like cutting the head to treat a headache! Prohibition, too, has failed in Bihar, Gujarat and old AP during NTR's time. The only remedy lies in a 'national support structure' of counselling.

K Nehru Patnaik, Visakhapatnam

Chhattisgarh tribals

It is highly deplorable that young tribals in Naxal areas of Chhattisgarh are taking up arms against the state. (*Three Juveniles among 7 arrested for Dantewada blast that killed 10 Jawans* - May 9). The Centre and the state have failed miserably in uplifting the poor tribals. The government should stop the oppression against tribals.

P H Hema Sagar, Secunderabad

Safety measures

Apropos of *Kerala boat tragedy: No lessons learned from past mistakes* (May 9). Severe violations and sheer negligence are clear in the case of the Tanur boat tragedy. It's not about the number of tourist spots in Kerala but how many of them are fortified with safety measures and monitored by experts.

Lukhman Bukhari, Malappuram

Tanur tragedy

The Tanur boat tragedy is a travesty of Kerala's model of democracy. Those in the boat jetty, the boat inspector, law enforcement authorities, the district collector and finally the minister concerned should be questioned immediately. Otherwise, all these administrative 'gesticulations' of ministers and politicians are mimicries galore!

Raghunathan P, Thrissur

Vote wisely

Karnataka is going to polls today. It is now our turn to choose the right person to guide us through the right path of development. It is the aspiration of every citizen to have a corrupt-free government without any allegations. Don't accept freebies and sell your vote for gifts or money. Vote judiciously.

S Sundara Pandian, Bengaluru

Imbibing values

Apropos of *Weathering the storms that life has in store* (May 8). Adi Sankara, the Bhagavad Gita, the Buddha, etc warn of the consequences of uncontrolled desire. Self-respect, honesty and true faith are missing among today's policymakers. It is necessary to educate young minds with stories that help them imbibe values.

Dr P Prema, Thanjavur

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TWEETS OF THE DAY

Jagat Prakash Nadda @JPNadda
Tributes to the composer of our national anthem, the great philosopher and poet Gurudev Ravindranath Tagore on the occasion of his Jayanti

Jairam Ramesh @Jairam_Ramesh
First Sasha died, then Uday and now Daksha has. But still no word of pain or anguish from the man who welcomed them with such razmatazz to Kuno

Mayawati @Mayawati
To get rid of rising inflation, poverty, unemployment and other disturbing public problems, full participation of people in elections is needed

Israeli foreign min meets EAM, talks cyber security ties

YESHI SELI @ New Delhi

ELI COHEN, the foreign minister of Israel, who had reached India on Tuesday morning for a three-day visit to India, had to cut short his visit and return as there was trouble brewing back home in Israel.

However, he was able to meet external affairs minister Dr Jaishankar and business delegates before he headed back.

"We are strengthening ties with the most populous country in the world and expanding cooperation in the fields of cyber-security, agriculture and water. Our cooperation will strengthen Israel's position in the world and stability in the Middle East," Cohen said after meeting Dr Jaishankar.

The two ministers also visited the Haifa memorial, which is dedicated to Indian soldiers who fell in battles in Israel during World War I.

"We had productive and wide ranging discussions. The main pillars of our strategic partnership are agriculture, water, defence and security, which are taking our ties forward. We discussed cooperation in high tech digital and innovation and also connectivity, mobility, tourism, finance and health. We also initiated an agreement in the area of mobility," said Dr Jaishankar.

Cohen had to head back home after tensions escalated in Gaza strip following Israeli air raids that reportedly killed at least 13 people, including three commanders of the militant group Islamic Jihad.

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> Eli Cohen, foreign minister, Israel

Cohen's trip was the third high-level visit to India by senior Israeli officials in less than three months. Israeli Parliament speaker Amir Ohana had visited India in late March while economy minister Nir Barkat was here in April.

These official visits were seen as preparing the ground for a visit to India by Israeli Prime Minister Benjamin Netanyahu later this year.

During the meeting with Dr Jaishankar the Israeli FM signed agreement wherein 42,000 Indians can work in Israel – 32,000 as construction workers and 8,000 in healthcare.

In January, Modi invited Netanyahu to visit India at an early date. The same month, Prime Minister Narendra Modi had a telephonic conversation with his Israeli counterpart Benjamin Netanyahu during which both leaders agreed on the potential for further strengthening bilateral strategic cooperation.

'Kerala Story': SC moved on HC refusal to stay

Kerala HC while refusing to stay release had laid emphasis on artistic freedom and said there was need for balance

SHRUTI KAKKAR @New Delhi

THE SC on Tuesday agreed to hear on May 15 a plea challenging Kerala HCs order of refusing to stay the screening of the film The Kerala Story which has already released on May 5, 2023.

The plea was mentioned by Senior Advocate Kapil Sibal before a bench of CJI DY Chandrachud and Justice PS Narasimha. Laying emphasis on the fact that the issue required urgent attention of the apex court, Sibal said that the plea had challenged HCs May 5 order. "This concerns the film, The Kerala Story. The Kerala HC had refused to pass an order of interim stay. There is some urgency in this matter," Sibal said.

Kerala HC on May 5 while refusing to stay the release had laid emphasis on artistic freedom and said that there was a need to strike balance. Watching the trailer, the HC was of the opinion that it was not against a particular community and the movie had clarified

that it was only inspired by true events. The bench had also noted that none of the petitioners had watched the film and that the producers had added a disclaimer that the film was a fictionalised version of events. However, the High Court also recorded the submission of the producer that the teaser of the movie, which claimed that over 32,000 women from Kerala were recruited to ISIS, will be removed from their social media accounts.

Apart from the pleas challenging HCs order, a plea has also been filed in SC on behalf of Vipul Amruthlal Shah challenging the decision of West Bengal govt to ban the screening of the film.

Marriage entitled to constitutional protection: SC

NEW DELHI: Hearing pleas seeking legal recognition of same sex marriages, a five-judge constitution bench laid emphasis on the fact that "Indian Constitution itself is a tradition breaker" and said it would be "far fetched" to say that there is no fundamental right to marry.

Underscoring the aspect of evolution of the concept of marriage, Chief Justice of India DY Chandrachud said marriage is not only a matter of statutory recognition but also entitled to constitutional protection as all the core elements of marriage are protected by constitutional values. The remarks came after of Senior Advocate Rakesh Dwivedi's question on right to marriage between same sex persons being a fundamental right.

Just want discipline to be maintained, says apex court

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"THERE is a marked difference between a counsel arguing in court and a person making a statement of a case sub-judice in a public space," the bench added. Although the bench adjourned the pleas challenging the GO for July, it recorded SG Mehta's statement that the assurance of non-implementation of order scrapping 4 per cent quota would continue until further orders. Even on April 25, the Karnataka government had assured the SC that it would not make any appointment or admission on the basis of its March 27 GO. SG Mehta submitted before a bench of Justices KM Joseph and BV Nagarathna that its assurance would hold the field till the next date of hearing. "The affidavit is ready. However, today, I am before the constitution bench. Can this be taken up next week?" Mehta submitted.

Notably, the Karnataka government while opposing the pleas challenging the GO had told the SC that reservation solely on the basis of religion is unconstitutional, contrary to the mandate of Articles 14, 15 and 16 and principles of social justice and secularism. The government in its affidavit said just because the decision was before polls, timing etc cannot be pointed out, unless the petitioners can show that reservation was constitutional and permissible. "Merely because reservations have been provided in the past on the basis of religion, the same is no ground for continuing the same for perpetuity, more so when the same is on the basis of an unconstitutional principle," the state had said in the affidavit.

BODYLINE

Puri: Some states are 'notoriously slow' in meeting RERA norms

PARVEZ SULTAN @ New Delhi

TAKING note of the delay in implementation of the Real Estate Regulatory Authority (RERA) mechanism and issue of non-compliance of orders passed by regulatory authorities, the minister of housing and urban affairs (MoHUA) **Hardeep Singh Puri** on Tuesday cautioned states which are lagging behind.

"All of us need to make sure that the entire decision making is fair, objective and it delivers justice. And it seems to be doing that. So if there's any faultline or potential of conflict of interest in our own functioning, I would say let's correct it. I am aware of work being done in Maharashtra, Gujarat and in other states. Some states are notoriously slow in implementing policy. I don't think that it is just a workload with the district magistrates. I will deal with that politically. Something, we will do," said Puri.

He was speaking during the fourth meeting of the Central Advisory Council constituted under RERA which is chaired by him. Besides senior officials of the ministries and states, representatives of the associations of homebuyers and developers also attended the meet.

The participants deliberated over the various issues related to the implementation of RERA, non-compliance of RERA orders, issue of legacy-stalled projects, and safety of construction workers.

Puri said that if required, the ministry would write to the chief secretaries of states and UTs so that RERA orders are implemented.

"Other states have to be brought on board. One state in particular is West Bengal. We need to renew and reinforce our efforts so that states come on board," he said.

As on May 1, 32 states and UTs have established regulatory authorities and 28 of them have also set up appellate tribunals. However, West Bengal and Telangana are still to fully implement RERA.

"RERA can take decision but the implementation finally comes down to the level of DMs or collectors....the fact of the matter is, the DMs take up these issues along with the other work that is assigned to them but the good news is that we are pushing. Yesterday, I had a review meeting with the secretary (MoHUA)," Puri said.

Various issues related to the implementation of RERA, issue of non-compliance of orders passed by regulatory authorities, concerns related to safety of construction workers, issue of legacy stalled projects, issue of dilution of provisions of RERA and awareness drive for RERA were deliberated.

Work-life balance tough for corporate employees in Delhi: Study

KAVITA BAJELI-DATT @ New Delhi

A staggering 88 per cent of employees working in the corporate sector in Delhi reported difficulties in striking a good work-life balance, higher than other major cities like Mumbai, Chennai, Hyderabad, and Bengaluru, the latest survey released on Tuesday said.

Personal health and family obligations emerged as the top priorities that tend to be affected when employees cannot achieve a work-life balance, with 81 per cent and 75 per cent of respondents, respectively, reporting this issue.

The survey, 'Mental Health and Wellness Quotient @Workplace 2023,' was conducted among 3,000 employees – from managerial to Chief Executive Officer (CEO) level – across ten sectors and eight Indian cities.

What was worrying was that 80 per cent of employees took close to two weeks of leave from work in the past year due to poor mental health.

The survey, which was conducted in Mumbai, Kolkata, Delhi, Chennai, Ahmedabad, Hyderabad, Pune, and Bengaluru, also found that 90 per cent of them face work demands during leave, exacerbating work-life balance concerns.

Moreover, 94 per cent of employees are expected to work on their leaves, and 67 per cent are expected to work every time they are on leave, emphasising the need for employers to promote a healthier work culture.

Personal health (81 per cent) and family obligations (75 per cent) were most affected by poor work-life balance, said the survey, which MPower, an initiative by The Aditya Birla Education Trust, conducted.

Delhi also topped among other metropolises in corporate employees, reporting the highest diabetes rate among the respondents, with 38 per cent citing this as a concern.

The survey indicates that over 48 per cent of corporate employees are 'at risk' of poor mental health, and this is more common among female employees, with 56 per cent of female employees more prone to poor mental health risk.

The study focussed on ten specific sectors, including FMCG, automobile, durables, BPO, banking, education, IT, healthcare, hospitality, and e-commerce. These sectors were selected based on the workforce they employ in the Indian corporate world and their diverse job profiles.

The sector which bears the maximum brunt of mental health risk was found to be e-commerce at 64 per cent, followed by FMCG at 56 per cent, automobile and healthcare at 55 per cent, hospitality at 53 per cent, BPO at 47 per cent, banking at 41 per cent, education at 39 per cent, IT at 38 per cent, and durables at 31 per cent.

'POOR MENTAL HEALTH IN FOCUS'

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- **67%** are expected to work every time they are on leave
- **48%** of corporate employees 'at risk' of poor mental health

Prez confers 8 Kirti Chakras and 29 Shaurya Chakras

EXPRESS NEWS SERVICE @ New Delhi

PRESIDENT Droupadi Murmu, who is the Supreme Commander of the Armed Forces, conferred eight Kirti Chakras (KCs), including five posthumous, and 29 Shaurya Chakras, including five posthumous, to the personnel of the Armed Forces, Central Armed Police Forces and State/Union Territory Police during Defence Investiture Ceremony in here on Tuesday.

Kirti Chakra is the second highest and Shaurya Chakra is the third highest peacetime gallantry awards.

Of the eight KCs three went to the Indian Army, three to Chhattisgarh Police, one each with the Border Security Force and J&K Police respectively.

All the posthumously awarded Shaurya Chakras have been conferred on the soldiers and officers of the Army.

Three personnel, including one of a Major-rank, from the Army's Rashtriya Rifles,have been conferred the Kirti Chakra, the ministry said.The Rashtrapati Bhavan later also shared pictures from the ceremony on Twitter.

The gallantry awards were given for displaying conspicuous gallantry, indomitable courage and extreme devotion to duty, the Home ministry said.

A group of personnel from the Army, the Air Force, Navy and those rendering services under the Ministry of Home Affairs have also been conferred the Shaurya Chakra, according to the statement.

The Shaurya Chakra is India's third-highest peacetime gallantry award after the Ashok Chakra and Kirti Chakra.

Common uniform soon for Brigadiers and above

MEN IN UNIFORM

NINE TYPES

- The Indian Army uses nine types of uniforms
- There are separate winter and summer uniforms
- They are also divided into the combat uniform, peacetime uniform, mess uniform and ceremonial uniform; three types ceremonial uniform are there

NEW LOOK

- The headgear, shoulder rank badges, gorget patches, belt and shoes of senior officers of flag rank (Brigadier and above) will now be standardised and common
- The flag-rank officers now will not wear any lanyard
- The changes will be implemented from August 1

There is no change to the uniform worn by Colonels and below-rank officers

MAYANK SINGH @ New Delhi

THE Indian Army has decided to adopt a common uniform for Brigadier and above rank officers. This will promote and strengthen common identity and approach in service matters amongst senior leadership, beyond the boundaries of regimentation believe the senior officers.

The sources confirmed "The headgear, shoulder rank badges, gorget patches, belt and shoes of senior officers of flag rank (Brigadier and above) will now be standardised and common, irrespective of the parent cadre and appointment."

The flag-rank (Brigadier and above) officers will now not wear any lanyard. The changes will be implemented from 01 August 2023.

This will also reinforce the Indian Army's character to be a fair and equitable organisation. The decision was taken after detailed deliberations during the recently concluded Army Commanders Conference and extensive consultations with all stakeholders, sources said.

A standard uniform will ensure a common identity for all senior-rank officers, while reflecting the true ethos of the Indian Army, added the sources. In the Indian Army, Brigadier and above officers are those who have already commanded units / battalions and are mostly posted at headquarters / establishments where officers from all arms and services function together.

There is no change to the uniform worn by Colonels and below-rank officers.

Different types of uniform and accoutrements have specific association to respective Arms, Regiments and Services in the Indian Army. This recognition with distinct identity within the Arms or Regiment or Services is essential for junior leadership and the rank and file to further strengthen camaraderie, esprit de corps and regimental ethos which is the bedrock of soldiering.

At the unit / battalion level, a distinct sense of identity reflects a strong bond among officers and men in the same regiment.

The Indian Armed Forces have been taking steps in recent times to decolonise its traditions and culture and symbols which it inherited from the British Army.

The British Army chose to adopt common uniforms long back, Colonel and above do not wear the regimental uniform.

It was in January 2022 that the Indian Army adopted a new unique camouflage pattern retaining the combination of the same colours — olive green and earthy shades — with the touch of digital pattern now.

Olive Green gives a distinct identity to the Indian Army. The Pakistan Army wears a yellowish Khaki uniform.

RAJ HEATS UP

Mercury soared in parts of Rajasthan with Barmer recorded the hottest place in the state with a maximum temperature of 43 degrees Celsius on Tuesday. Jaisalmer and Jalore recorded a maximum of 42.3 degree Celsius.

8 HELD AS COPS BUST J'KHAND GANGS FOR SNATCHINGS

Ahmedabad	37	24	Mumbai	33	26
Bhopal	34	18	Panaji	32	25
Jaipur	37	21	Patna	34	25
Amritsar	34	18	Lucknow	36	25
Chennai	37	26	Port Blair	29	25
Kolkata	33	26	Imphal	31	20
Srinagar	27	05	Chandigarh	34	18

HC no to Bihar plea for early hearing in caste survey case

RAMASHANKAR @ Patna

THE Patna High Court on Tuesday rejected the Bihar government's petition seeking hearing in the case of caste enumeration and economic survey at the earliest.

The division bench, headed by Chief Justice K V Chandran, kept July 3, as scheduled earlier, as the date for hearing on the matter.

On May 4, the Patna High Court had issued an interim stay order on the caste count which was under way.

The caste based survey had begun on April 15.

The second round was scheduled to be completed by May 15. The high court had directed the government not to share and use the data collected during this period. The data collected during survey was subsequently preserved.

The state government filed a review petition, praying for early hearing in the case. The state government in its petition contended that since the Patna High Court had made it clear that the state government did not have the statutory authority to conduct a caste-based survey, there was no reason to hear these petitions on July 3.

'No jurisdiction to conduct caste survery'

The court in its interim order had clarified that executive does not have the jurisdiction to conduct a caste survey. The court had also said that the privacy of the public is violated by the caste survey. It rejected the state government's petition and fixed the date of hearing on July 3.

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The state government pleaded in its petition that the court had given its final decision on the issues raised in five PILs and so these petitions should be heard and executed before July 3.

The court, however, rejected the state government's petition and fixed the date of hearing on July 3.

Under the first phase of the survey which was conducted from January 7 to January 21, house listing exercise was carried out. In the second phase, details of each individual in the family were collected.

Pilot slams Gehlot over Raje remark

'CM's speech at Dholpur suggests not Sonia Gandhi, but Vasundhara Raje is his real leader'

RAJESH ASNANI @ Jaipur

Sachin Pilot addresses a press conference in Jaipur on Tuesday | PTI

THE rift between two top Congress leaders in Rajasthan has further deepened, with Sachin Pilot hitting out at Ashok Gehlot for his remarks that Vasundhara Raje saved his government in 2020.

At a press conference in Jaipur on Tuesday, Pilot said, "After listening to Ashok Gehlot's speech at Dholpur on Sunday, it reflects that it is not Sonia Gandhi but Vasundhara Raje is his real leader."

Pilot announced his decision to begin a padyatra from Ajmer to Jaipur on May 11 in attempt to expose the corrupt deals of the previous Raje government and paper leaks during the Gehlot rule. Elections are due in Rajasthan this year. Pilot claimed that his charge of nexus between Gehlot and Raje stands proven by the chief minister's own statements that the BJP leader had saved his government.

On Sunday, Gehlot expressed his gratitude to former CM Vasundhara Raje, Kailash Meghwal and BJP MLA Shobharani for helping him prevent toppling the government, despite belonging to the BJP.

While Gehlot claims that the BJP tried to topple his government, but at the same suggests that Raje saved his government, said Pilot, asking the CM to clarify his stance.

Asserting his claim for the post of Chief Minister in Rajasthan, Pilot mentioned meeting various leaders, including late Ahmed Patel, and the formation of a committee comprising Ajay Maken and KC Venugopal.

Pilot claimed that the roadmap was devised after considering their perspectives. He along with his loyalist MLAs worked towards strengthening the Congress during the Rajya Sabha and Vidhan Sabha polls. The progress made over the past two and a half years serves as a testament to their efforts, said Pilot and emphasised that they did not engage in any act of indiscipline. However, in September of last year when there was an opportunity to discuss the matter with the MLAs, Gehlot compelled some of them to resign.

Pilot announced the padyatra, stating, "I have raised the issue of corruption, and will continue to raise it. There has been no response regarding Vasundhara Raje's corruption and the paper leak. That's why I have decided to embark on a 125km walk from the RPSC in Ajmer, where many papers were leaked, to Jaipur on May 11. I will interact with the public during this padyatra, which is aimed at fighting corruption and supporting the youth."

On his next political move, Pilot said, "some individuals want a weak Congress and a split in the party. They are attempting my character assassination. We will not allow this to happen. My stance on public issues will remain unchanged. The people are more important than any leader, and we will present all these matters to the public," he said.

Modi rally to sound Raj poll bugle today

EXPRESS NEWS SERVICE @ Jaipur

PRIME Minister Narendra Modi is set to address a public rally in Rajasthan's Sirohi district bordering Gujarat on Wednesday. Modi will begin his trip in the tribal belt of south Rajasthan with a visit to the Shrinathji Temple in Nathdwara town in Rajsamand district. He will then proceed to Sirohi and visit the Prajapati Brahmakumari Ishwariya Vishwavidyalaya in Mount Abu.

During his one-day visit to Rajasthan, Modi will also address a public meeting in Abu Road in Sirohi. BJP leaders asserted that this will be the largest public meeting in this region so far, with a target of connecting around 1,50,000 people. Local MLAs in Rajasthan are collaborating with the central government to outline the program. PM is set to inaugurate a few development projects worth over ₹5,500 crore in Rajasthan during this visit.

It is worth mentioning that on September 30 last year, Modi travelled 45 kilometres by road from Ambaji in Gujarat to Abu Road in Sirohi district.

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Ex-CM's family torn between Cong and BJP

Former CM Late Kailash Chandra Joshi's family in Dewas district now stands divided politically. While Joshi's ex-minister and three-times former BJP MLA son Deepak Joshi joined Congress on May 6, his son Jaivardhan Joshi will remain with the BJP. Presently, the saffron party's state co-convener and in-charge for Shajapur district, Jaivardhan, who is a cyber security expert, while maintaining that he tried to convince his father not to join the Congress, added that he'll stay committed to the BJP, as he believes BJP is the only political alternative.

Min books 'Kerala Story' tickets for Cong leaders

Two days after the BJP-ruled MP became the first state to declare movie, 'The Kerala Story' tax-free, state's home minister Narottam Mishra booked two tickets of the movie for two senior Congress leaders, including state party chief Kamal Nath and Rajya Sabha member Digvijaya Singh. While confirming about having booked tickets for Singh and Nath, Mishra said, "May be watching this film might change the perception of people who shed tears on Batla House encounter, action against "wrong-doers" after the 2022 Khargone communal riots."

Discontent brewing in Congress in Dewas?

Discontentment seems to be brewing among opposition Congress workers in Hatpipliya Vidhan Sabha constituency of Dewas district, over Kamal Nath-loyalist former MP minister Sajjan Singh Verma's publicly declaring former MLA Rajendra Singh Baghel's son Rajveer Singh Baghel the party's candidate from the seat in next assembly polls. Other aspirants for the Congress ticket, including Vishwajit Chauhan have decided to raise the issue with state party chief Kamal Nath. Importantly, Rajveer, as Congress candidate had lost 2020 by-poll from the seat by 14,000 votes to BJP's Manoj Chaudhary. The latter as Congress candidate had defeated sitting BJP MLA Deepak Joshi.

After Shivraj, Yogi gives tax exemption to 'Kerala Story'

EXPRESS NEWS SERVICE @ Lucknow

AFTER BJP-ruled Madhya Pradesh, Yogi Adityanath government declared the recently released film 'The Kerala Story' tax-free in Uttar Pradesh on Tuesday. The CM made an announcement on Twitter.

Moreover, as per the CM secretariat, Yogi will watch the film along with his cabinet colleagues at a special screening to be organised at Lok Bhawan on Friday, May 12. It may be recalled that during 2019 Kumbh in Prayagraj, Yogi along with his cabinet had watched 'Uri :The Surgical Strike', after taking a holy dip at Sangam.

Last year, the UP CM had also watched Akshay Kumar-starrer 'Samrat Prithviraj' at a special screening after declaring the movie tax-free in the state.

Before the state government's announcement to make the film produced by Vipul Amrut Shah and directed by Sudipto Sen, tax free, UP BJP secretary Abhijat Mishra had shown it to 100 girl students in Lucknow recently.

TAGORE BIRTH ANNIVERSARY

Home Minister Amit Shah at Jorasanko Thakurbari, the ancestral house of Rabindranath Tagore, in Kolkata on Tuesday | EXPRESS

24 killed, 40 hurt as MP bus falls off bridge

EXPRESS NEWS SERVICE @ Bhopal

AT least 24 passengers, including eight women and seven children, were killed and over 40 others injured when a private bus fell 50 feet into the dry bed of the Borad river in Madhya Pradesh's Khargone district on Tuesday. The condition of 11 is serious.

A magisterial probe has been ordered. The state government has also announced ₹4 lakh compensation each to the deceased's kin, ₹50,000 to seriously injured and ₹25,000 for others. Besides, an ex-gratia of ₹2 lakh from the PM's relief fund will be given to the kin of the deceased and ₹50,000 to the injured.

The bus was going from Khargone to Indore, 100 km away.

Sources said the bus driver, who is hospitalised, is continuously changing his statements. The police are probing overspeeding, steering-wheel failure and the driver dozing off as possible reasons for the mishap.

Gujarat court refuses to stay trial against Delhi L-G in '02 assault case

DILIP SINGH KSHATRIYA @ Ahmedabad

DELHI's Lieutenant Governor Vinay Kumar Saxena has to face criminal proceedings. On Monday, the Ahmedabad Metropolitan Court denied his appeal for exemption from criminal prosecution while he serves as the Delhi L-G.

Saxena is on trial for allegedly assaulting Narmada Bachao Andolan activist Medha Patkar in 2002 at Ahmedabad's Sabarmati Ashram. Two BJP MLAs, Amit P Shah and Amit Thaker, and a Congress leader, Rohit Patel, are also accused along with Saxena.

Additional Metropolitan Judge P N Goswami denied Saxena's application. Lawyers in the case stated they would know the reason for denying the application only after they received a copy of the order. Saxena is likely to appeal the order in the Gujarat High Court.

Social worker Medha Patkar opposed the L-G's demand for immunity from criminal prosecution. She claimed that he did not qualify for an exception because he was not the governor.

Saxena's attorney maintained that under the rules of Article 361 of the Constitution, criminal proceedings could not be conducted against him cannot while he is still the L-G. In accordance with Article 2, Section 2, "no criminal proceedings whatsoever shall be instituted or against the President, or the Governor of a State, in any court during his term of office."

The assault allegedly happened in 2002 at the Mahatma Gandhi-founded Sabarmati Ashram during a programme called for peace in the aftermath of the post-Godhra riots. An FIR was filed with the Sabarmati police station, accusing Saxena and three other people of unlawful assembly, assault, wrongful restraint, and criminal intimidation, among other things.

The Metropolitan Court of Ahmedabad has begun the trial in this matter after 21 years for the framing of charges.

From climbing Everest to politics: MP mountaineers aim to scale new heights

EXPRESS NEWS SERVICE @ Bhopal

Megha Parmar joined Congress; Ratnesh Pandey joined BJP | EXPRESS

AFTER conquering Mt. Everest, young mountaineers in Madhya Pradesh are gearing up a new conquest—the electoral politics.

Ratnesh Pandey, who successfully scaled the Mt. Everest in 2016, and Megha Parmar who flew the Indian tricolour on the same highest peak in 2019, have joined politics within a span of 35 day—six months before the central Indian state goes to assembly elections.

A Satna district resident, Ratnesh Pandey, who has also successfully climbed Europe's highest peak Mount Elbrus in 2018 and Iran's highest peak Mount Damavand in September 2016 (four months after successfully scaling the Mt Everest) joined the ruling BJP on April 3.

He also holds a world record for his motorbike stunts

Pandey, who in October 2020, had created history by mentoring team of third genders from across the country to successfully climb the 17,353 ft high Friendship Peak in Himalayas, is in the race for the saffron party ticket from Satna seat, which is presently held by Congress's first time MLA Siddharth Kushwah.

The 28-years-old Megha Parma, who hails from MP CM Shivraj Singh Chouhan's home district Sehore's Bhojpur village, had successfully scaled Mount Everest in 2019.

She joined the opposition Congress at the Nari Samman Rally in presence of state Congress president Kamal Nath on Tuesday in Chhindwara district.

Megha, who has been the brand ambassador of PM Modi's ambitious Beti Bachao Beti Padhao campaign in Madhya Pradesh since 2019, has reportedly had close association with RSS's student wing ABVP till a few days ago.

Opposition Congress sprung a surprise of sorts to the ruling BJP, as there were speculation about Megha being in the race for ticket from BJP from Ichchawar seat of her home Sehore district, as the saffron party was planning to field a fresh face from the seat presently held by it's seven times sitting MLA and ex-minister Karan Singh Verma.

Price guarantee brings cheers to J&K apple growers

FAYAZ WANI @ Srinagar

KASHMIR apple growers are elated over the Central government's decision to fix Minimum Import Price (MIP) for apples by banning its import if the price is less than ₹50 per kg.

The growers say it would benefit the local apple growers and demanded further increase in cess on the import from the present 35 per cent to protect the local apple industry.

Bashir Ahmad Basheer, chairman Kashmir Valley Fruit Growers Cum Dealers Union told this newspaper that the central government's decision to fix MIP for import of apples is a good move and "we welcome it".

"The import of apples was undervalued and under-billed by the traders to escape the taxes, thus causing loss to the state exchequer and also hurting the local fruit growers," he said.

Now with the central government deciding to ban import of apples if its price is less than ₹50, the fruit growers say the cost of the imports per kg would rise to ₹75 after charging a 35 per cent cess.

The fruit growers hope that now apples from countries such as Iran, Turkey, Chilli, New Zealand, among others, won't be imported in bulk to India.

Minimum Import Price to benefit local apple growers | PTI FILE

Bashir said with the fixing of MIP for import of apples, the demand for the local apples in the markets across the country will increase and it will also fetch good rates to the local growers.

"This move will benefit all fruit growers, whether in Kashmir or any other part of the country," he said.

Last year, Kashmir produced 20-22 million tons of apples and fruit growers had to incur heavy losses due to import of apples by traders and blockade of Srinagar-Jammu national highway for days.

The Kashmir fruit growers had last year written a letter to Prime Minister Narendra Modi informing him that entry of cheap Iranian apple in the country via Afghanistan and Dubai in bulk has led to drop in demand for apple of J&K and Himachal.

Apples of J&K/HP does not even fetch actual results.

Mohammad Ashraf, a prominent apple grower and president of Fruit Mandi Shopian said the centre has fulfilled their long pending demand by fixing MIP for import of apples.

"It will definitely help boost the local fruit industry," he said.

Ashraf demanded that there should be further increase in cess on import of apples from the present 35 per cent on import of apples.

"The cesss should be increased to 70 per cent so that the local fruit industry can be protected and safeguarded".

"There are some countries in the world including Japan, which charge 100 per cent cess, to protect their own fruit and agriculture industry.

'Imports under-billed to escape taxes'

Bashir Ahmad Basheer, chairman of Kashmir Valley Fruit Growers-Dealers Union said, "The import of apples was under-billed by the traders to escape taxes, thus causing loss to the state exchequer and also hurting the local fruit growers." Now with the central government deciding to ban import of apples if its price is less than `50, the growers say imports cost per kg would rise to `75 after charging a 35% cess.

PUBLIC NOTICE

This is to inform the general public that our client, Dr. Anuradha Rai, D/o. Late. M. S. Naryana Swamy, No. 439/B, 9th Cross, Jayanagar I Block, Bengaluru - 560 011, is the beneficiary under the registered Will of Late. M. S. Naryana Swamy registered on 17.01.2013 registered in the Office of the Sub-Registrar, Jayanagar, Bangalore, bearing registration No. JAY-3-00383-2012-13 stored in CD No. JAYD163 of Book III for property bearing No. 439/B, 9th Cross, Jayanagar I Block, Bengaluru - 560 011, measuring on East to West 45 Ft. and on North to South (49+60)/2 Ft. totally measuring 2452.5 Sq. Ft., which is morefully described in schedule below. Late. M. S. Naryana Swamy purchased the Schedule Property on 07.06.1993 from Mr. Satish Chandra and 5 others vide Sale Deed bearing No. 698/1993-94 stored in Book I, Volume 1662, Pages 10 to 27 registered in the Office of the Sub-Registrar, Jayanagar, Bangalore. Our client is desirous of selling the Schedule Property and had handed over the Will dated 17.01.2013 of Late. M. S. Naryana Swamy and the Sale Deed dated 07.06.1993 to a relative of hers by name Balaji. The said person has lost the documents between 02.10.2022 and 05.10.2022 near Lalbagh 4th Cross Road. As all the efforts in tracing the lost documents failed, a Police Complaint with respect to the loss of the original documents was registered on 11.04.2023. Any person/s finding the Will dated 17.01.2013 of Late. M. S. Naryana Swamy and the Sale Deed dated 07.06.1993 may furnish the same to the undersigned within 08 days from the date of publication of this notice, failing which, it will be deemed that the original Will and Sale Deed is lost forever.

SCHEDULE PROPERTY

All that piece and parcel of property bearing No. 439/B, 9th Cross, Jayanagar I Block, Bengaluru - 560 011. Measuring: East to West 45 Ft. North to South (49+60)/2 Ft. Totally measuring 2452.5 Sq. Ft. and bounded on East by Site No. 440; West by Site No. 443 & 438; North by Site No. 439; South by Road.

PRASAD SUBBANNA
KHUSHI C JAIN
Advocates & Mediator
LAWgistics
No. 174, 4th Cross, 1st Block,
Jayanagar, Bangalore - 560 011.
Mobile: 98452 20759, 87229 61516

SOUTHERN RAILWAY

Chennai Division
E-Tender Notice No.
MAS/EGS/ET/05/2023-2024
dated 03.05.2023

Tender No.: ME-29-II-1REV-OT-252-2023
Name of work: Provision of SMS alert system for lifts and escalators in Chennai Division.
Value of Work: ₹49,77,240/-
Further details regarding the tender may please be viewed from **www.ireps.gov.in**

Sr.Divisional Electrical Engineer/General/Chennai

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LOST

I, **AVALA STAYA MAHESH**
I am absolute owner of the Property bearing at **Site No.314/3, Survey No.46/3, CMC Khatha Serial No.127, Situated at Marathalli Village, H.A.S.B Area, Varthur Hobli, Bangalore South Taluka**, Measuring East to West 40 feet and North to South 50 feet, and **Sale deed Reg.No10316/95-95** Dated: 27/01/1996, In Book 1 Page No.1 to 6, I here by Declare that, I have lost the original CMC Khatha and mentioned sale deed on 22/04/2023, Finders Please
Contact: 9886799555

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ROBERT H SCHULLER

SOUTHERN RAILWAY

Trivandrum (Gati Shakti Unit)
E-Tender Notice No. TVC-GSU-5-2023 Dt.03.05.2023

The Chief Project Manager/Gati Shakti/Trivandrum Division, Trivandrum-14 for and on behalf of President of India, invites ONLINE tender for the following works as per tender notice given our e-tender portal **www.ireps.gov.in**. The tenderer(s) / contractor(s) intending to apply for e-tender for WORKS in Trivandrum Division, need to get enrolled in the e-tender portal **www.ireps.gov.in**.

Name of the work	Approx. Value (₹ in Lakhs)	Earnest Money Deposit ₹	Period of completion in months
Appointment of Project Supervision Service Agency (PSSA) for providing Project Supervision Services for the projects of Gati Shakti Unit, Trivandrum Division.	129.78	214,900.00	15 Months

Tender Closing date and time : 25.05.2023 at 11.00 hrs.
Details approximate value of tender, EMD, & location are given on the e-portal, **www.ireps.gov.in.**
For details of bid submission, please refer website portal **www.ireps.gov.in.**

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Fax: 022-26871587 | Website: www.midcindia.org

TENDER NOTICE

Subject: Selection of Implementation Agency for Implementation, Maintenance and Support of Smart Governance Solution for MIDC

Name of Work	Selection of Implementation Agency for Implementation, Maintenance and Support of Smart Governance Solution for MIDC.
MIDC's Official Website	www.midcindia.org
Availability of Tender document on website for online bid.	10th May 2023 to 9th June 2023

ASIRVAD MICRO FINANCE LTD

CIN U65923TN2007PLC064550
9th and 10th Floor, No 9, Club House Road, Anna Salai, Chennai 600 002. Tamil Nadu.
Tel:044-42124493

GOLD AUCTION NOTICE

The borrowers, in specific and the public, in general, are hereby notified that public auction of the gold ornaments pledged in the below accounts is proposed to be conducted at the following branches on 25/05/2023 from 10.00 am onwards. The auction is of the gold ornaments of defaulted customers who have failed to make payment of their loan amount despite being notified by registered letters. Unauctioned items shall be auctioned on any other days without any further notice. Change in venue or date if any) will be displayed at the auction centre and on the company website. The details given below are in the order of Branch Name, Loan Number.

List of Pledges:-

KARNATAKA, VIJAYANAGAR HOSAHALLI GL, 340920700000028,

Persons wishing to participate in the above auction shall comply with the following:-
Interested Bidders should submit Rs. 10,000/- as EMD (refundable to unsuccessful bidders) by way of Cash on the same day of auction. Bidders should carry valid ID card/PAN card. For more details, please contact 9542500664
Authorised officer
Asirvad Micro Finance Ltd.

FORM NO. NCLT. 3A
ADVERTISEMENT DETAILING PETITION
[See Rule 35 of the National Company Law Tribunal Rules, 2016]
In the matter of Scheme of Amalgamation of
MODERN MERCHANDISE PRIVATE LIMITED
(Petitioner Company 1/Transferor Company 1) And
NAKODAR FINANCE PRIVATE LIMITED
(Petitioner Company 2/Transferor Company 2) With
MALLADI SPECIALITIES LIMITED
(Petitioner Company 3/Transferee Company)
and their respective Shareholders and Creditors.
Company Petition No.CP(CAA)/11(CHE)2023 In CA(CAA)/73(CHE)/2022

MODERN MERCHANDISE PRIVATE LIMITED
(CIN: U51909TN2011PTC136690)
A company incorporated under the Companies Act, 1956,
Having its Registered Office at 8th Floor, SKCL Tech Square,
Plot No.SP14, Thiru Vi Ka Industrial Estate, Guindy, Chennai 600032
Represented by **Mrs.Parvathi Malladi, Director**
...Petitioner Company 1 / Transferor Company 1

NAKODAR FINANCE PRIVATE LIMITED
(CIN: U65921TN1987PTC136716)
A company incorporated under the Companies Act, 1956,
Having its Registered Office at 8th Floor, SKCL Tech Square,
Plot No.SP14, Thiru Vi Ka Industrial Estate, Guindy, Chennai 600032
Represented by **Mrs.Shreya Sistla, Director**
...Petitioner Company 2 / Transferor Company 2

MALLADI SPECIALITIES LIMITED
(CIN: U24117TN1989PLC017845)
A company incorporated under the Companies Act, 1956,
Having its Registered Office at SKCL Tech Square, 7th Floor,
Plot no. SP 14, Thiru Vi Ka Industrial Estate, Guindy, Chennai 600032
Represented by **Mr.Ashray Sistla, Director**
...Petitioner Company 3 / Transferee Company

NOTICE OF PETITION

A petition under Sections 230 to 232 of the Companies Act, 2013,seeking approval of Scheme of Amalgamation of Modern Merchandise Private Limited (Petitioner Company 1/Transferor Company1) And Nakodar Finance Private Limited (Petitioner Company 2/Transferor Company 2) With Malladi Specialities Limited (Petitioner Company 3/ Transferee Company) was presented jointly by the Petitioner Companies on the February 22nd, 2023 and the said Petition is fixed for hearing before the Hon'ble National Company Law Tribunal, Chennai Bench-I on the **June 14th 2023.** Any person desirous of supporting or opposing the said petition should send to the petitioner's office, notice of his intention, signed by him or his Advocate/Representative, with his name and address, so as to reach the petitioner's office not later than two days before the date fixed for the hearing of the petition. Where he seeks to oppose the petition, the grounds of opposition or copy of his affidavit shall be furnished with such notice. A copy of the petition will be furnished by the undersigned to any person requiring the same on payment of the prescribed charges for the same.

Sd/-
R.Inbaraju Advocate,
Counsel for Petitioner companies
No.10/28, II Floor, 3rd Cross Street, R.K.Nagar, RA Puram, Mandaveli, Chennai-600028.

Date: 10/05/2023
Place: Chennai

PHYSICAL POSSESSION NOTICE

ICICI Bank | **Branch Office:** ICICI Bank Ltd. 4/10, Mythree Tower, Bommanhalli Hosur Main Road Bangalore-560068

Whereas
The undersigned being the Authorized Officer of ICICI Bank Limited under the Securitisation, Reconstruction of Financial Assets and Enforcement of Security Interest Act, 2002 and in exercise of the powers conferred under section 13 (12) read with Rule 3 of the Security Interest (Enforcement) rules 2002, issued demand notices upon the borrowers mentioned below, to repay the amount mentioned in the notice within 60 days from the date of receipt of the said notice.
As the borrower failed to repay the amount, notice is hereby given to the borrower and the public in general that the undersigned has taken possession of the property described herein below in exercise of powers conferred on him/ her under Section 13(4) of the said Act read with Rule 8 of the said rules on the below-mentioned dates. The borrower in particular and the public in general is hereby cautioned not to deal with the property and any dealings with the property will be subject to the charge of ICICI Bank Limited.

Sr. No.	Name of the Borrower/ Loan Account Number	Description of Property/ Date of Physical Possession	Date of Demand Notice/ Amount in Demand Notice (Rs.)	Name of Branch
1.	Bhaskar Gouda Patil/ Kavita Bhaskaragouda Patil/ LBBNG00004911085	Schedule A Description of The Schedule A Property Item No.1 All That Piece and Parcel of The Converted Property Bearing Survey No.9/1A, Admeasuring 2 Acres and 20 Guntas,situated at Byagadadenahalli Village,kasaba Hobli,anekal Taluk, Bangalore, Vide Official Memorandum Bearing No.aln (K and A) Sr 103/2005-06 and Bounded as Follows: East By: Land In Survey No.9/1B and Muni Reddy's Land; West By: Government Pit; North By: Land Belonging To Pushpa, The Daughter of Nanja Reddy; and South By: Land In Survey No.9/2. Item No.2 All That Piece and Parcel of The Converted Property Bearing Survey No.9/1B, Admeasuring 26 Guntas,situated at Byagadadenahalli Village, Kasaba Hobli, Anekal Taluk, Bangalore, Vide Official Memorandum Bearing No.aln (K and A) Sr 103/2005-06 and Bounded as Follows: East By: Land In Survey No.10/1; West By: Land In Survey No.9/1A; North By: Land Belonging To Pushpa, The Daughter of Nanja Reddy; and South By: Land In Survey No.9/1B Belonging To Muni Reddy. Item No.3 All That Piece and Parcel of The Converted Property Bearing Survey No.9/2, Admeasuring 1 Acre and 38 1/2 Guntas,situated At Byagadadenahalli Village,kasaba Hobli,anekal Taluk,bangalore, Vide Official Memorandum Bearing No.aln(k and A) Sr 103/2005-06 and Bounded as Follows: East By: Land Belonging To Muni Reddy' West By: Government Pit; North By: Land In Survey No.9/1A; and South By: Land In Survey No.9/3. Item No.4 All That Piece and Parcel of The Property Bearing Survey No.10/1, Admeasuring30 Guntas, Situated at Byagadadenahalli Village, Kasaba Hobli, Anekal Taluk, Bangalore, Vide Official Memorandum Bearing No. ALN(K and A) Sr 345/2007-08 and Bounded as Follows: East By: Chandrapura And Anekal Main Road; West By: Land In Survey No.9/1B; North By: Nanja Reddy;s Daughter Pushpa's Land; and South By: Muni Reddy and Prakash's Property. Item No.5 All That Piece and Parcel of The Converted Property Bearing Survey No.93,admeasuring 1 Acre and 20 Guntas, Situated at Byagadadenahalli Village, Kasaba Hobli, Anekal Taluk, Bangalore, Vide Official Memorandum Bearing No.ALN(K And A) Sr 152/2006-07 and Bounded as Follows: East By: Government Pit; West By: A. Papa Reddy's Land; North By: C. Pilla Reddy's Land; and South By: A. Papa Reddy's Land. Item No.6 All That Piece and Parcel of The Portion of The Property Bearing Survey No.93, Admeasuring 2 Acres and 28 Guntas, Situated at Byagadadenahalli Village, Kasaba Hobli, Anekal Taluk, Bangalore, Vide Official Memorandum Bearing No.ALN(K and A) Sr 89/2009-10 and Bounded as Follows: East By: Government Halla; West By: Government Road And Remaining Land In Survey No.93; North By: Government Halla; and South By: Remaining Land In Survey No.93. Item No.7 All That Piece and Parcel of The Portion of The Property Bearing Survey No.93, admeasuring 1 Acre and 8 Guntas, Situated at Byagadadenahalli Village, Kasaba Hobli, Anekal Taluk,bangalore, Vide Official Memorandum Bearing No.ALN(K and A) Sr 152/2006-07 And Bounded as Follows: East By: C.Pilla's Reddy Land; West By: Government Road; North By: Government Kunte; and South By: A. Papa Reddy's Land. Item No.8 All That Piece and Parcel of The Converted Property Bearing Survey No.95/1, Admeasuring 2 Acre and 21 Guntas, Situated at Byagadadenahalli Village,kasaba Hobli, Anekal Taluk,bangalore, Vide Official Memorandum Bearing No.ALN(K And A) Sr 106/2009-10 and Bounded as Follows: East By: Government Pit; West By: Government Oni; North By: Land Belonging To C. Chikkananja Reddy; and South By: Land Belonging To Srinivasa Reddy. Item No.9 All That Piece and Parcel of The Portion of The Property Bearing Survey No.95/2,admeasuring 28 Guntas,situated at Byagadadenahalli Village,kasaba Hobli,anekal Taluk,bangalore, Vide Official Memorandum Bearing No.aln(k and A) Sr 86/2009-10 and Bounded As Follows: East By: Sinivas Reddy's Land In Survey No.95/2; West By: Road; North By: Chandrashekhar;s Land In Survey No.95/2; and South By: Survey No.96. Item No.10 All That Piece and Parcel of The Portion of The Property Bearing Survey No.95/2, Admeasuring 1 Acre and 4 ½ Guntas, Situated at Byagadadenahalli Village, Kasaba Hobli, Anekal Taluk,bangalore, Vide Official Memorandum Bearing No.aln(a) (k) Sr 88/2009-10 and Bounded as Follows: East By: Government Halla; West By: Ravi's Land; North By: Survey No.95/1; and South By: Muni Reddy's Land. Item No.11 All That Piece And Parcel of The Portion of The Property Bearing Survey No.95/2,admeasuring 20 Guntas, Situated at Byagadadenahalli Village, Kasaba Hobli, Anekal Taluk, Bangalore, Vide Official Memorandum Bearing No.ALN(K and A) Sr 87/2009-10 and Bounded as Follows: East By: Survey No.95/1; West By: Road; North By: Survey No.95/1; and South By: Ravi's Land In Survey No.95/2. Item No.12 All That Piece and Parcel of The Converted Property Bearing Survey No.8,admeasuring 1 Acre and 17 Guntas, Situated at Byagadadenahalli Village, Kasaba Hobli, Anekal Taluk, Bangalore, Vide Official Memorandum Bearing No.ALN(A) (K and A)S.R/223/05-06 and Bounded as Follows: East By: Raja Kaluveand Property Owned By Naga Reddy; West By: Raja Kaluve; North By: Survey No.9/3 Owned By Muniyamma, Nagamma And Jayamma; South By: Raja Kaluve. Item No.13 All That Piece and Parcel of The Converted Properties Bearing Survey No.9/3, admeasuring 32 Guntas, and Survey No.10/3, Admeasuring 32 Guntas, Situated at Byagadadenahalli Village, Kasaba Hobli, Anekal Taluk, Bangalore, Vide Official Memorandum Bearing No.ALN(A) (K And A)S.R/222/05-06 and Bounded as Follows: East By: Chandapura -anekal Main Road; West By: Raja Kaluve; North By: Survey No.9/2 Owned By Vbhdc and Muni Reddy and Survey No.10/2 Owned By Ramas Reddy; And South By: Property of Naga Reddy In Survey No.11, Raja Kaluve and Survey No.8 Owned By C. Pilla Reddy. Item No.14 All That Piece and Parcel of The Converted Property Bearing Survey No.10/2, admeasuring 30 Guntas, Situated at Byagadadenahalli Village, Kasaba Hobli, Anekal Taluk, Bangalore, Vide Official Memorandum Bearing No.ALN(K and A)S.R 93/2009-10 and Bounded as Follows: East By: Chandapura -anekal Main Road; West By: Portion of Survey No.10/2 Owned By Muni Reddy; North By: Portion of Survey No.10/1 Owned By Muni Reddy and A Portion of Survey No.10/2 Owned By Prakash; South By: Survey No.10/3 Owned By Muniyamma, Nagamma and Jayamma. Schedule B Description of The Schedule B Property 308 Square Feet Undivided Rightr, Title and Interest In The Schedulke A Property As Excluded By The Following Extents Relinquished or Gifted, as The Case May Be, To The Appropriate Statutory Authorities and Set Apart Fer Road Widening: (i) Land Reserved For Park, Admeasuring Approximately Thirteen Thousand Four Hundred and Fifty Seven Point Four Three (13,457,43) Square Meters; (ii) Land Reserved For Civic Amenities,admeasuring Approximately Six Thousand Seven Hundred and Seventy Seven (6,777) Square Meters; (iii) Land Admeasuring Approximately Three Thousand(3000) Square Meters Gifted To The Bangalore Electricity Supply Company Limityed (Bescom); and (iv) Land Admeasuring Approximately One Thousand Four Hundred and Eighty Two Point One Two (1482.12) Square Meters Towards Road Widening. Schedule C Description of The Schedule C Property All That Piece and Parcel of The Apartment Bearing No.508 In The 5th Floor With Vitrified Tiles Situated Within Block No.16 In The Building The Name And Style "vbhc Vaibhava" Admeasuring 620 Square Feet of Super Built-up Area And Comprising of 2bhk, Along With Covered Car Parking Spaces Gram Panchayath (Khatha) Property Id Number 150200101300720024 Bounded With East By: Flat No.501 West By: Flat No.507 North By: Road South By: Flat No.505/ Date of Physical Possession On/05/05/2023.	27.03.2021 Rs. 26,72,985.00/-	Bangalore

The above-mentioned borrowers(s)/ guarantors(s) are hereby given a 30 day notice to repay the amount, else the mortgaged properties will be sold on the expiry of 30 days from the date of publication of this Notice, as per the provisions under the Rules 8 and 9 of Security Interest (Enforcement) Rules 2002.
Date : May 10, 2023
Place : Bangalore

Authorized Officer
ICICI Bank Limited

ಶ್ರೀ ಸುಬ್ರಮಣ್ಯೇಶ್ವರ ಕೋ-ಆಪರೇಟಿವ್ ಬ್ಯಾಂಕ್ ಲಿ.,
Sree Subramanyeswara Co-operative Bank Ltd.,

(R.B.I. Licence No. UBD-KA 550 P)
A.O. :Rajatha Bhavana, No.106, R.V.Road, Visveswarapuram, Bengaluru-560 004.
Ph : 080-22422461/63, 26500879, Email: recovery@subcobank.com.Website: subcobank.com

DEMAND NOTICE

No. 30/2023-24 Date: 18/04/2023

To,

1. Sri.B.R.Aswathanarayana Setty (Deceased), Legal heirs; (a) Smt.Swarna (Wife), (b) Smt.B.A.Renuka (Daughter), (c) Sri.B.A.Sudarshan (Son), (d) Sri.B.A.Veerendra Prasad (Son), All are residing at, No.339, Bazaar Street, Kengeri, Bengaluru-560060.
2. Sri.B.A.Sudarshan, No.339, Bazaar Street, Kengeri, Bengaluru-560060.
3. Sri.B.A.Veerendra Prasad, No.339, Bazaar Street, Kengeri, Bengaluru-560060.
4. Sri.R.Lokanath, No.134/1, 35th Cross, 4th T Block, Jayanagar, Bengaluru-560041.
5. Smt.Girija Lokanath, Proprietrix of M/s Shashank Apparels, No.5A, Nagavarapalya, Chethana Theatre Road, C V Raman Nagar, Bengaluru-560093. **Residing at**: No.134/1, 35th Cross, 4th T Block, Jayanagar, Bengaluru-560041.

NOTICE UNDER SECTION 13 (2) OF THE SECURITISATION AND RECONSTRUCTION OF FINANCIAL ASSETS AND ENFORCEMENT OF SECURITY INTEREST ACT 2002

At your request, you have been granted term loan of **Rs.17,50,000.00 [Rupees Seventeen Lakhs Fifty Thousand Only] on 31/03/2002** for the purpose of Clear debts, against the security of Immovable commercial property bearing Katha Number/Assessment No.38/275 and 276 (Old No.262), Bus Stand Road, Kengeri Town, Bangalore Rural District and Immovable commercial property bearing Katha Number/Assessment No.439 New No.437, Situated at Bazzar Street, Kengeri Town, Bangalore Rural District. Creating security interest in favour of the Bank. The relevant particulars of the said Loan facilities and the amount outstanding repayable by you, is as stated in **Schedule "A".** The said financial assistance was granted with an undertaking, to repay the said financial assistance in terms of the agreement[s]/document[s], duly executed in favour of the Bank.

You have also created mortgage by way of registration of Memorandum of Deposit of Title deeds creating security interest in favour of the Bank. The particulars of the security assets are stated in **Schedule "B".**

The operation and conduct of the account in respect of the above Loans have become irregular and the debts have been classified as **"NON PERFORMING ASSETS"** since **30.07.2002** in accordance with the directives/guidelines relating to Asset classification, issued by Reserve Bank of India, consequent to the default committed by you in repayment of the principal debts and interest thereon.

The said Loan facilities are also secured by the personal guarantee & executed by: **(1) Sri.R.Lokanath,** Residing at No.134/1, 35th Cross, 4th T Block, Jayanagar, Bengaluru-560041. **(2) Smt.Girija Lokanath,** Residing at No.134/1, 35th Cross, 4th T Block, Jayanagar, Bengaluru-560041. Despite repeated requests, contacts, persuasions, notices and legal notice you have failed and neglected to repay the overdues/outstanding liabilities.

Therefore, the Bank hereby calls upon you under section 13 (2) of the subject Act by issuing this notice, to discharge in full outstanding liabilities stated hereunder, to the Bank within **60 days from the date of this notice.**

Your outstanding liabilities due and owing to the Bank **as on 31/03/2023** is **Rs.5,17,48,698.00 (Rupees Five Crores Seventeen Lakhs Forty Eight Thousand Six Hundred Ninety Eight Only)** Details as per Schedule 'A'. You are also liable to pay future interest at the contractual rate @ 16% p.a on monthly/quarterly rest and penal interest @ 2% p.a on the aforesaid amount together with incidental legal expenses, costs, charges, etc, from **01/04/2023.**

If you fail to repay to the Bank the aforesaid sum of **Rs.5,17,48,698.00 (Rupees Five Crores Seventeen Lakhs Forty Eight Thousand Six Hundred Ninety Eight Only)** with interest and incidental expenses, costs, charges etc, as stated above in terms of this NOTICE issued under section 13 (2) of the subject Act, the Bank will exercise all or any of the rights detailed under section 13 (4) and also under other applicable provisions of the subject Act.

This notice is without prejudice to the Bank's right to initiate such other actions or legal proceedings, as it deems fit and necessary under any other applicable provisions of Law.

Please be informed that, on receipt of this notice, as per the provisions of Section 13(13) of the subject Act, you are here by restrained from transferring by way of sale, lease, or otherwise, any of the assets secured to the Bank, without prior written consent from the Bank, Non compliance with these provisions is punishable U/S 29 of the said Act.

SCHEDULE "A"

Sl No.	Nature of Facility	Amount Outstanding as on 31/03/2023		
		Principal	Interest & Others	Total
1	IP-55000132 - Clear Debts	Rs.17,50,000.00	Rs.4,99,98,698.00	Rs.5,17,48,698.00

(Rupees Five Crores Seventeen Lakhs Forty Eight Thousand Six Hundred Ninety Eight Only) and future interest and other charges from 01/04/2023. "The borrower's attention is invited to provisions of sub-section (8) of section 13 of the Act, in respect of time available, to redeem the secured assets".

SCHEDULE "B" DESCRIPTION OF THE IMMOVABLE PROPERTIES

Property No.1: All the piece and parcel of land and commercial building situated at Khatha Number/Assessment No.38/275 and 276 (Old No.262), Bus Stand Road, Kengeri Town, Bangalore Rural District, measuring East to West 63.5 ft. and North to South 66.5 feet together with all the building and structures standing thereon and to be constructed/erected thereon and bounded on the; East by : Road, West by : Road, North by : Property of Chennappa, South by: Road.

Property No.2 : All that piece and parcel of the site and building bearing Katha Number/Assessment number.439, New No.437, measuring East to West 61 feet and North to South 15+17/2 feet, situated at Bazar Street, Kengeri Town, Bangalore Rural District, together with the buildings already constructed thereon and to be constructed thereon along with permanent structures, fixtures and fittings standing thereon bounded on the; East by : Property of Puttayya and others, West by : Road, North by : Shop and house of Sri.Muddukrishna, South by : House of Veerabhadra Guptha.

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	TOTAL		27,00,19,574.00

Sd/- Authorised Officer
Sree Subramanyeswara Co-Operative Bank Ltd., Bengaluru-560004.

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Sree Subramanyeswara Co-operative Bank Ltd.,

(R.B.I. Licence No. UBD-KA 550 P)
A.O. :Rajatha Bhavana, No.106, R.V.Road, Visveswarapuram, Bengaluru-560 004.
Ph : 080-22422461/63, 26500879, Email: recovery@subcobank.com.Website: subcobank.com

DEMAND NOTICE

No. 31/2023-24 Date: 18/04/2023

To,

1. Smt.Girija Lokanath, Proprietrix of M/s Shashank Apparels, No.5A, Nagavarapalya, Chethana Theatre Road, C V Raman Nagar, Bengaluru-560093. **Residing at**: No.134/1, 35th Cross, 4th T Block, Jayanagar, Bengaluru-560041.
2. Sri.B.R.Aswathanarayana Setty (Deceased), Legal heirs; (a) Smt.Swarna (Wife), (b) Smt.B.A.Renuka (Daughter), (c) Sri.B.A.Sudarshan (Son), (d) Sri.B.A.Veerendra Prasad (Son), All are residing at, No.339, Bazaar Street, Kengeri, Bengaluru-560060.
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NOTICE UNDER SECTION 13 (2) OF THE SECURITISATION AND RECONSTRUCTION OF FINANCIAL ASSETS AND ENFORCEMENT OF SECURITY INTEREST ACT 2002

At your request, you have been granted term loan of **Rs.50,00,000.00 (Rupees Fifty Lakhs Only) on 31/03/2002** for the purpose of Business Improvement, against the security of Immovable commercial property bearing Katha Number/Assessment No.38/275 and 276 (Old No.262), Bus Stand Road, Kengeri Town, Bangalore Rural District and Immovable Commercial property bearing Katha Number/Assessment No.439, New No.437, Situated at Bazzar Street, Kengeri Town, Bangalore Rural District. Creating security interest in favour of the Bank. The relevant particulars of the said Loan facilities and the amount outstanding repayable by you, is as stated in **Schedule "A".** The said financial assistance was granted with an undertaking, to repay the said financial assistance in terms of the agreement[s] / document[s], duly executed in favour of the Bank.

You have also created mortgage by way of registration of Memorandum of Deposit of Title deeds creating security interest in favour of the Bank. The particulars of the security assets are stated in **Schedule "B".**

The operation and conduct of the account in respect of the above Loans have become irregular and the debts have been classified as **"NON PERFORMING ASSETS"** since **30.07.2002** in accordance with the directives/guidelines relating to Asset classification, issued by Reserve Bank of India, consequent to the default committed by you in repayment of the principal debts and interest thereon.

The said Loan facilities are also secured by the personal guarantee & executed by: **(1) Sri.B.R.Aswathanarayana Setty (Deceased),** Legal heirs; (a) Smt.Swarna (Wife) (b) Smt.B.A.Renuka (Daughter) (c) Sri.B.A.Sudarshan (Son) (d) Sri.B.A.Veerendra Prasad (Son) All are residing at No 339, Bazaar Street, Kengeri, Bengaluru-560060. **(2) Sri.B.A.Sudarshan,** Residing at No 339, Bazaar Street, Kengeri, Bengaluru-560060. **(3) Sri.B.A.Veerandra Prasad,** Residing at No 339, Bazaar Street, Kengeri, Bengaluru-560060. **(4) Sri.R.Lokanath** No.134/1, 35th Cross, 4th T Block, Jayanagar, Bengaluru-560041. Despite repeated requests, contacts, persuasions, notices and legal notice you have failed and neglected to repay the overdues/outstanding liabilities.

Therefore, the Bank hereby calls upon you under section 13 (2) of the subject Act by issuing this notice, to discharge in full outstanding liabilities stated hereunder, to the Bank within **60 days from the date of this notice.**

Your outstanding liabilities due and owing to the Bank **as on 31/03/2023 is Rs.21,82,70,876.00 (Rupees Twenty One Crores Eighty Two Lakhs Seventy Thousand Eight Hundred Seventy Six Only)** Details as per Schedule 'A' you are also liable to pay future interest at the contractual rate @18% p.a on monthly/quarterly rest and penal interest @ 2% p.a on the aforesaid amount together with incidental expenses, costs, charges, etc, from **01/04/2023.**

If you fail to repay to the Bank the aforesaid sum of **Rs.21,82,70,876.00 (Rupees Twenty One Crores Eighty Two Lakhs Seventy Thousand Eight Hundred Seventy Six Only)** with interest and incidental expenses, costs, charges etc, as stated above in terms of this NOTICE issued under section 13 (2) of the subject Act, the Bank will exercise all or any of the rights detailed under section 13 (4) and also under other applicable provisions of the subject Act.

This notice is without prejudice to the Bank's right to initiate such other actions or legal proceedings, as it deems fit and necessary under any other applicable provisions of Law.

Please be informed that, on receipt of this notice, as per the provisions of Section 13(13) of the subject Act, you are here by restrained from transferring by way of sale, lease, or otherwise, any of the assets secured to the Bank, without prior written consent from the Bank, Non compliance with these provisions is punishable U/S 29 of the said Act.

SCHEDULE "A"

Sl No.	Nature of Facility	Amount Outstanding as on 31/03/2023		
		Principal	Interest & Others	Total
1	IP-55000133 - Business Improvement.	Rs.49,99,588.00	Rs.21,32,71,288.00	Rs.21,82,70,876.00

(Rupees Twenty One Crores Eighty Two Lakhs Seventy Thousand Eight Hundred Seventy Six Only) and future interest and other charges from 01/04/2023. "The borrower's attention is invited to provisions of sub-section (8) of section 13 of the Act, in respect of time available, to redeem the secured assets".

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Beijing	29	13	TDS	Los Angeles	22	12	LC
Colombo	31	26	LC	Melbourne	18	9	HR
Dhaka	39	27	TDS	Moscow	17	7	HR
Dubai	37	27	SNY	New York	22	13	LC
Houston	24	23	SNY	Singapore	33	28	TDS
Istanbul	15	11	LC	Toronto	19	11	LC
London	17	8	LC	Washington	24	11	LC

Putin says US, allies have unleashed war on Russia

Push for win against Ukraine in Victory Day speech to countrymen

Russian President Vladimir Putin addresses the nation during the Victory Day military parade at Red Square in central Moscow on Thursday | AFP

MOSCOW

RUSSIAN President Vladimir Putin on Tuesday told his country's Victory Day parade on Moscow's Red Square that "a real war" has been unleashed against Russia by the West's "untamed ambitions," shortly after the Kremlin's forces rained cruise missiles on Ukrainian targets. "Today civilisation is once again at a decisive turning point," Putin said at Moscow's annual commemorations celebrating the defeat of Nazi Germany in World War II.

"A real war has been unleashed against our Motherland." Since Russia invaded its neighbour more than 14 months ago, Putin has repeatedly framed the war in Ukraine as a proxy conflict with the West. The Kremlin's official narrative of the war has painted a picture of an existential conflict with the West, which in Moscow's view is merely using Ukraine as a tool to destroy Russia, re-write its history and crush its traditional values. That version of events has dominated Russian state media coverage of the war. In his speech, Putin insisted that the West's "untamed ambitions, arrogance and impunity" are to blame for the conflict.

Putin welcomed soldiers fighting in Ukraine who were present at the parade. "To Russia! To our brave armed forces! To Victory!" Putin concluded the speech. Russia unleashed a barrage of cruise missiles on Ukraine overnight into Tuesday, hours before the start of the Moscow parade, which this year is taking place amid tight security measures.

The Kremlin's forces launched 25 missiles overnight in a wave of attacks across Ukraine, the Ukrainian air force said, adding that air defence had successfully destroyed 23 of them.

In a Telegram post, the air force said eight Kalibr cruise missiles were launched from carriers in the Black Sea toward the east and 17 from strategic aircraft. The barrage came as Moscow and other cities hosted military parades and other festivities marking Victory Day, Russia's biggest secular holiday that this year has been significantly overshadowed by the war in Ukraine.

At least 21 Russian cities canceled May 9 military parades the staple of celebrations across Russia for the first time in years. The Immortal Regiment processions, in which crowds take to the streets holding portraits of relatives who died or served in World War II have also been canceled in multiple cities. *AP*

Pak cities rocked by massive protests, Imran supporters storm Army HQ

EX-PM'S LEGAL WOES

FEB 28 A sessions court issues a non-bailable arrest warrant against Imran in the Toshakhana case

MARCH 5 A team of Islamabad police reach the Lahore residence of Imran to arrest him in the Toshakhana case but returned after assurance that he will appear before the court on March 7

MARCH 7 Imran fails to appear before the court for the fourth time in the Toshakhana case

MARCH 18 Over 10,000 armed Punjab police personnel launched a major operation at Imran's residence in Lahore and arrested 61. A court in Islamabad cancels his arrest warrant after intense clashes between police and his supporters outside the court

MARCH 29 Islamabad-based judicial magistrate issues a non-bailable arrest warrant against Imran in a case related to threats made to a woman judge

APRIL 13 An anti-terrorism court in Pakistan on Thursday extended the interim bail to Imran till May 4 in three cases related to the clashes between his supporters and the police during an operation to arrest the former premier in the Toshakhana corruption case on March 8

APRIL 14 Imran secures protective bail till April 26 in a case related to use of "inappropriate language" against senior Army officers

APRIL 18 A court issues bailable warrant against Imran in the judge case

APRIL 28 A top court in Islamabad grants protective bail till May 3 in the case related to use of "inappropriate language" against senior Army officers

MAY 4 Islamabad High Court extends Imran's bail pleas in nine cases after he appeared in person following a warning by the court

MAY 5 A court turns down Imran's request to dismiss Rs 10 billion defamation lawsuit against him filed by Prime Minister Shehbaz Sharif. An Islamabad court announces it will indict former prime minister Imran on May 10 in a case in which he allegedly hid the proceeds from the sale of Toshakhana gifts

ISLAMABAD

IN unprecedented scenes, supporters of former prime minister Imran Khan on Tuesday stormed the Pakistan Army headquarters in the garrison city of Rawalpindi and the Corps Commander's residence in Lahore after his dramatic arrest in a corruption case.

As the news of his arrest by the Rangers spread, massive protests broke out in several cities across Pakistan. Protesters at several places turned violent and burned police vehicles and damaged public property.

The Rangers, which operate under the Interior Ministry, are usually commanded by officers on secondment from the army.

For the first time, Imran's supporters smashed the main gate of the army's sprawling headquarters in Rawalpindi, where troops exercised restraint. The protesters chanted slogans against the establishment.

In Lahore, a large number of PTI workers stormed into the Corps Commander Lahore's residence and smashed the gate and window panes. The army personnel present on duty there, however, did not try to stop the enraged protesters who surrounded them and chanted slogans against the 'handlers' of the PML-N-led government in the military establishment. The protesters held a demonstration in the Cantonment area.

Lahore was virtually cut off from the rest of the province because of the protest on main roads including the entry and exit points.

The caretaker Punjab government called the Rangers to control the law-and-order situation in the most populous province and imposed section 144 under which not more than five people can gather at one point. According to the Home Department, the ban on gatherings will remain in place for two days.

Supporters of Imran Khan gather amid teargas fired by police during a protest against the arrest of their leader in Peshawar on Tuesday | AFP

The Punjab government also requested the Pakistan Telecommunication Authority to suspend Internet and mobile services in the areas of the province where violent protests took place.

A large number of PTI workers also pelted stones at the residence of Interior Minister Rana Sanaullah in Faisalabad. Similarly, protests were held in Multan, Jhang, Gujranwala, Sheikhupura, Kasur, Khanewal, Vehari, Gujranwala, Hafizabad, and Gujrat.

Meanwhile, the top diplomats of the United States and Britain together called Tuesday for adherence to the "rule of law" in Pakistan.

"We just want to make sure that whatever happens in Pakistan is consistent with the rule of law, with the constitution," US Secretary of State Antony Blinken told a joint news conference in Washington.

British Foreign Secretary James Cleverly, speaking alongside Blinken, noted that Britain enjoyed "a longstanding and close relationship" with Commonwealth member Pakistan.

"We want to see peaceful democracy in that country. We want to see the rule of law adhered to," Cleverly said. Both declined to comment in further detail, with Cleverly saying he had not been fully briefed on the situation. *Agencies*

PUBLIC NOTICE

The notice is hereby given to public that our client L.Padmaja has lost original sale deed bearing doc.no. No.1655/1988-89,dated 07-05-1988, No.3694/1992-93, Dated 01-09-1992 , Khatha certificate for khatha no.307/3 and khatha no.307/3/H, and Tax paid reciept pertaining to Vacant Site No.31, on 06.05.2023 at Kaggadasapura Main Road. It is hereby informed to the public that in case any of them finds the same can contact on the below mentioned address or phone number within 7 days from the date of this publication.

SCHEDULE:
All that piece and parcel of property bearing Site No.31, HASB Khatha No.307/3/H (Old Khatha No.307/3), Earlier khata no.18/78, Present BBMP Khahta no.847/512/307/3, measuring 30 x 40 ft., formed in property no.78, Kaggadasapura Village, situated at 8th Cross, Vignananagar, Kaggasaspura Dhakale, K.R.Puram Hobli, Bangalore and bounded on: East by: Site No.30, West by: Site No.32, North by: Portion of same property no.78, South by: 25 Ft Road.

V.L.Associates Advocates.
No.56, Out house, 19th Main Road, 2nd Block, Rajajinagar, Bangalore-560 010.
Ph: 9481900851/9743323668.
Place: Bangalore Date: 09.05.2023

PUBLIC NOTICE

General public are hereby notified that we are proposing to purchase a property from its rightful owner bearing site number 390, BEML layout, 4th stage, Rajarajeshwari Nagar situated at Halagevaderahalli, Kengeri Hobli, Bangalore South Taluk, Bengaluru, Karnataka. The said property is bounded on the east by Site No. 389, West by Road, North by Site No. 340 and South by Road.
Terms of the proposal are under negotiations. In order to carry out due diligence of the property and the scrutiny of the documents to ascertain marketable title and lawful possession of the owner of the property. The public notice is issued to receive a response from any person/persons, interested in the scheduled property or opposing the sale or otherwise of the schedule property, including any financial institutions, agreement holders, GPA holders or any person, claiming any right, title, claim, interest or lien over the schedule property or any portion thereof and/or opposing sale of the property to us, either for joint development or otherwise in any manner whatsoever. General Public is here by notified to register the objections/ claims, if any, with supporting a authenticated documents, justifying such claims to us within **SEVEN DAYS** from the date of publication, hereof for scrutiny and consideration.
If no objections/claims are received with supporting documents as above within the stipulated period, we will proceed with the completion of the proposed transaction, as if there are no objections or objections if any, are deemed to have been waived.
From Deepak Kannan
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NOTICE

Property owner Sheshadri of Site No. 6, near Mylasandra Road, Vinayaka Enclave, Beguru Village, Bangalore-76. Issuing Public Notice stating that there are no any claims for the above mentioned property.
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General Secretary **Prof. B.C. Mylarappa**

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By this Public Notice through this Newspaper Advertisement is mainly given to the notice of general public for their awareness and caution mainly to avoid any chance of fraud in carrying out real estate transaction in respect of schedule property that our Client is intending to purchase from its Owners of Legal Representatives or Legal heiars of the, Syed Hussin S/o late Syed Peer Sab 78 years no 232, 3rd cross, Krishna Murthy colony, Siddapura, Ist block, Jayanagar Bangaluru..
Wherefore, it is informed to the notice of general public at large that if any person, financial Banks, having or asserting any right title or interest or claim over the above property may send their written objections to me within Three days from the date of this publication with documentary proof. If no claim or objections are received within Three days, it will be presumed that no one except the aforesaid owner is having all right, title and interest over the schedule property and our Client will then be free to conclude the transaction without any further Notice.

A SCHEDULE PROPERTY
Property bearing Sy No.25 situated at Chikkajala Village, Jala Hobli, Yelhanka Taluk, Bengaluru Narth, Measuring 1 acre 20 Guntas bounded as follows the East by: N. H. 7, West by: Sy no 27, North by: Sy no 25 & South by: Sy no 110.

B SCHEDULE PROPERTY
Property bearing Sy No.26/4 situated at Chikkajala Village, Jala Hobli, Yelhanka Taluk, Bengaluru Narth, Measuring 5,1/2 Guntas bounded as follows the East by: Sy no 26/5, West by: Sy no. 26/5, North by: Sy no Railway Road and South by: Sy no 25.

C SCHEDULE PROPERTY
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D SCHEDULE PROPERTY
Property bearing Sy No. 27/23 situated at Chikkajala Village, Jala Houbli, Yelhanka Taluk, Bengaluru Narth, Measuring 22 Guntas bounded as follows the East by: Sy no 25, West by: Sy no 27/18, North by: Sy no 27/22 and South by: Sy no 107.

E SCHEDULE PROPERTY
Property bearing Sy No. 28/07 situated at Chikkajala Village, Jala Houbli, Yelhanka Taluk, Bengaluru Narth, Measuring 18 Guntas bounded as follows the East by: Sy no 27, West by: Sy no 28, North by: Sy no 28 and South by: Sy no 102/01.

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E-mail: ravikirana9164@gmail.com

SOUTH WESTERN RAILWAY
APPLICATION NOTIFICATION NO. 210/Halt/SBC/05/2023
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PUBLIC NOTICE
FOR LOST DOCUMENT
My Client Dr. PRIYANKA .K.S W/o Sri. Vikas Lingappa Jayaram & D/o H D Sheshagiri Represented by her Power of Attorney Holder mother Smt. SHAMALA.D.C W/o late H D Sheshagiri Residing at No.1143, 26th Main 35th 'C' Cross, 4th T Block Jayanagar Bengaluru 560041 has irretrievable lost the original Sale Deed and other relevant documents including Final Decree drawn in FDP No.177/2014 in O.S.8887/2012 on the file of City Civil and Sessions Judge at Bangalore registered as Document No.GAN-1-01516-2021-22 Book I, stored in CD No.GAND969 registered on 22-7-2021 in the office of Sub Registrar, Gandhinagar, Bangalore 560 009 with respect to the Flat 302 and Flat No.303 3rd Floor apartment known as Aster Apartments bearing Katha No.6963/1175/693/31 and 32 present Katha No.693/1175/693/32 situated at Kodigehalli, Yelahanka, Bangalore North Taluk, Bangalore. My Client has Lodged a Police Complaint for lost article on 9-5-2023 under acknowledgment issued by the Bangalore City Police, bearing GSC No.PO1384230600123 Ref No. TLK PS/acknowledgment/2023.
If any person/s found the said sale deed please come forward with in a period of 7 days from the date of publication of this notice and hand over the same to the under signed will be suitably rewarded. If anyone has already carried out any transaction or any transaction is in the process of being carried out using the missing document, kindly inform the undersigned party in writing at the below mentioned address within 07 days from this paper publication. Else there won't be any further claims from thereon.
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All the piece and parcel of property bearing Flat 302 and Flat No.303, 3rd Floor apartment known as Aster Apartments bearing Katha No.6963/1175/693/31 and 32 present Katha No.693/1175/693/32 situated at Kodigehalli, Yelahanka, Bangalore North Taluk, Bangalore and bounded on the:
East by : Road, West by : Property bearing Site No.33, North by : Road, South by : Properties bearing Site Nos.29 & 30.
Address:- **Srikantham. V.R,** Advocate
No. 310, 60 feet Road, Talakaveri Layout,, Sahakar Nagar Post, Bangalore - 560 092.
Phone No. 9845104859

PUBLIC NOTICE
(LOSS OF SALE DEED)
The General Public are hereby notice that my clients **Sri.N.S.Nagaraj** and **Ms.Medha.N** D/o Sri.N.S.Nagaraj, both are residing at Kodandarama Nilaya, Doddanekkundi, 1st Main Road Doddanekkudi, Bangalore-560037, and my clients are the absolute owners of the property bearing Duplex House No.715, Old Khatha No.522, BBMP Khatha Sl.No.670, Old No.522/715, New No.670, 7th Street, formed in converted survey no.54/2, in the Layout known as "FERNS PARADISE", Situated at Doddanekkundi Village, K.R.Puram Hobli previously Bangalore south Taluk, and presently Bangalore East Taluk, in the layout known as Ferns Paradise, measuring to an extent of East to West: 100feet, North to South: 55feet in total measuring 5500square feet and totally consisting of 70squares Duplex House thereon, BBMP Ward No.85. My clients have informed that while travelling from Marthahalli multiplex bus stop to K.R.Puram, they lost the Original sale deed bearing document no.9819/2002-03, Book No.I. Stored in CD.No.59, in the office of Sub-Registrar Krishnarajapura, Bangalore, after that their best effort to search they could not traced out the same, in this regard-my clients have lodged a complaint intimating the loss of said original sale deed vide Lost Report No.0537878/2023 dated 18.04.2023 to Crime Branch, Bengaluru City Police and it is requested to the General Public that the same is found they may be handed over to the address given below, it is made clear that if the above mentioned original sale deed is used for any wrongful and illegal purpose, my clients would not be liable for the same.
Bengaluru Dated: 09.05.2023
S A Law Associates
No.29/1, Old No.54, G.Floor Behind Bank of Baroda, Nanjappa Road, Shanthinagar Bengaluru-27

PUBLIC NOTICE
I, the undersigned advocate on behalf of my client **Smt. Anithamma W/o T. Munishamappa and Sri. Tharunkumar S/o Late Munishamappa** the petitioners in the above case filed above petition seeking for death certificate of the 1st petitioner Husband i.e., **Late T. Munishamappa S/o Late T. Topanna who expired on 21-10-2002**, at Venkatenahalli Village, Vijayapura Hobali, Devanahalli Taluk. If any of the third parties having claim or dispute with regard to death certificate of Late T. Munishamappa may do so by appearing before the Hon'ble 2ND ADDITIONAL CIVIL JUDGE COURT AT DEVANHALLI on **01-06-2023 in C. Mis No. 133/2023**, with documents.
By Order of the Court, Sd/- Chief Ministerial Officer Civil Judge & JMFC Court, Devanahalli
Sri MAHESH .K. Advocate

PUBLIC NOTICE
The General Public is hereby informed that, my client — **Sri. M RAMAKRISHNAIAH,** S/o. Late N Muni Huchappa, resident of No. 1380, Thindlu Main Road, Kodigehalli, Sahakaranagar Post, Bangalore — 560092, has lost the **Original Registered Sale Deed bearing No. 4686 of Book No. 1, Volume No. 2044 at Pages 107-108 dated: 09.08.1961,** registered in the office of Sub-Registrar, Bangalore North Taluk, on 12.07.2019 while making the photocopy, pertaining to all that piece and parcel of immovable landed property to the extent of 5 Guntas of Sy No. 51/5, New No. 51/7, situated at Kothohosahalli Village, Yelahanka Hobli, Bangalore North Taluk, which is bounded on East by : Thoti Inamti Property, West by: Halla, North by: Thammanna's Property & South by: Remaining portion of property in Sy No. 51/5. The General Public is hereby informed not to deal with the said property and if anybody finds the original document is requested to contact the undersigned within 7 days.
PRASAD D KAGWAD, ADVOCATE
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All Affiliated (Government and Private) Law Colleges in Tamil Nadu).	B.A.LL.B. Degree Course	15.05.2023	31.05.2023

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Whereas
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As the borrower failed to repay the amount, notice is hereby given to the borrower and the public in general that the undersigned has taken Symbolic possession of the property described herein below in exercise of powers conferred on him/ her under Section 13(4) of the said Act read with Rule 8 of the said rules on the below-mentioned dates. The borrower in particular and the public in general is hereby cautioned not to deal with the property and any dealings with the property will be subject to the charge of ICICI Bank Limited.

Sr. No.	Name of the Borrower/ Loan Account Number	Description of Property/ Date of Symbolic Possession	Date of Demand Notice/ Amount in Demand Notice (Rs.)	Name of Branch
1.	Akhil Fred/ Fred Aylwin Varma/ Hemalatha S/ HPBNG00044710145/ LBBNG00005170527/ LBBNG00003730190/ LBBNG00003135096	Schedule 'A'- (Composite Property) (Description of The Entire Property In Which The Apartment Complex Is Constructed) All That Property Presently Bearing Municipal No.19, Kothanur, Ward No.25, Horamavu, Bangalore Measuring In All About 1 Acre 39 Guntas (earlier Comprising of Old Municipal No.19, Measuring 30 Guntas and Old Municipal No.20, Measuring 1 Acre 9 Guntas, and Still Earlier Residentially Converted Land Bearing Survey No.49/18, Kothanur Village, Bangalore East Taluk), and Bounded on As Follows:- on The East: Hennur Main Road; West: Land Bearing Survey No.34; North: Land Bearing Survey No.49/1B; South :land Bearing Survey No.49/2 The Composite Property Comprises of Item No. 1 & 2 as Follows: Item No. I All That Piece and Parcel of Property Bearing Old Municipal No. 19, Kothanur, Ward No. 25, Hormavu, Bangalore (Earlier Residentially Converted Land Bearing Survey No.49/1B, Kothanur Village, Bangalore South Taluk, Presently Bangalore East Talk) Measuring In All About 30 Guntas and Bounded as Follows: on The East: Hennur Main Road; West: Remaining Portion of Survey No.49/1B; North :remaining Portion of Survey No.49/18; South: Land Bearing Survey No.49/2 Item No. Ii All That Piece and Parcel of Property Bearing Old Municipal No.20, Kothanur, Ward No. 25, Hormavu, Bangalore (Earlier Residentially Converted Land Bearing Survey No.49/1B, Kothanur Village, Bangalore South Taluk, Presently Bangalore East Taluk) Measuring About 1 Acre 09 Guntas and Bounded as Follows: on The East: Remaining Portion of Survey No.49/1B; West: Land Bearing Survey No.34; North :remaining Portion of Survey No.49/1B; South: Lland Bearing Survey No.49/2; Schedule 'B' (Description of The Undivided Share Hereby Conveyed) an Undivided 0.55% (Zero Point Five Five Percent) Share (Equivalent To 445.53 Square Feet) In The Land Comprised In The Schedule 'A' Property. Schedule-'C' (Description of The Apartment Hereby Conveyed) A Two Bedroom With A Study Room Apartment Bearing No.204 On The Second Floor In The Block 'A' of The Apartment Complex Known as "Arge Helios™ Constructed on The Schedule 'A' Property, Having A Super Built Up Area of 1495 Square Feet (Which Is Inclusive of Carpet Area of 1061 Square Feet and The Proportionate Share In Common Areas of The Apartment Complex Attributable Thereto) Together With One Covered Car Parking Space In The Basement/ Date of Symbolic Possession on/05/05/2023.	06.01.2023 Rs. 42,83,515.00/-	Bangalore

The above-mentioned borrowers(s)/ guarantors(s) are hereby given a 30 day notice to repay the amount, else the mortgaged properties will be sold on the expiry of 30 days from the date of publication of this Notice, as per the provisions under the Rules 8 and 9 of Security Interest (Enforcement) Rules 2002.
Date : May 10, 2023
Place : Bangalore
Authorized Officer ICICI Bank Limited

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By this Public Notice through this Newspaper Advertisement is mainly given to the notice of general public for their awareness and caution mainly to avoid any chance of fraud in carrying out real estate transaction in respect of schedule property that our Client is intending to purchase from its Owners of Legal Representatives or Legal heiars of the, Pille Narayanappa. M, S/o Mottappa, Anajinappa S/o Mottappa, Narayana Swamy S/o Mottappa, C.M Govinda Swamy S/o Mottappa. Chikkajala Village, Jala Hobli, Yelhanka Taluk, Bengaluru Narth.
Wherefore, it is informed to the notice of general public at large that if any person, financial Banks, having or asserting any right title or interest or claim over the above property may send their written objections to me within Three days from the date of this publication with documentary proof. If no claim or objections are received within Three days, it will be presumed that no one except the aforesaid owner is having all right, title and interest over the schedule property and our Client will then be free to conclude the transaction without any further Notice.
SCHEDULE PROPERTY
Property bearing Sy No.111 situated at Chikkajala Village, Jala Hobli, Yelhanka Taluk, Bengaluru Narth, Measuring 1 Acre bounded as follows the East by: N.H 7, West by Sy no 109, North by : Sy no 110 and South by: Sy no 112.
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PUBLIC NOTICE
This is to inform the general public that my client **Smt.B.Kanthamani**, Wife of Late D.Basappa, is said to have lost the following documents pertaining to **Property bearing Site No.3338, situated at RPC Extension, Vijayanagar, Bengaluru, measuring East to West: 40 Feet and North to South:30 Feet, totally measuring 1200 Sq.Feet.**
a) **Original Allotment letter issued in the name of Sri.H.Harihara Swamy by the BDA;**
b) **Original Possession Certificate bearing PC No.169/76-77, dated 13.12.1976, issued by the BDA;**
c) **Original Sale deed dated 05.03.1987, registered as Document No:3064/1986-87, Volume:1079, at Pages 175 to 178, in the office of the Sub-Registrar, Srirampuram;**
The general public is hereby informed that nobody shall deal with the aforesaid document and if any person having any claim or holding the aforesaid document may contact/handover the same to the undersigned within Seven (7) days from the date of this notice with documentary evidence, failing which it will be presumed that there are no claims.
Sd/- **H.UMASHANKAR,** Advocate
No.8, 80 ft Road, Chandra Layout Bangalore-560040.

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Market Watch

MARKET			GOLD			SILVER			FOREX		
2.92 ▼	Sensex	61,761.33	₹100 ▲	24 carat (10 gm)	₹62,000	₹00 ⇔	Per kg	₹78,100	▲ Dollar	82.10
1.55 ▼	Nifty	18,265.95	₹100 ▲	22 carat (10 gm)	₹56,850	₹00 ⇔	Per 10 gm	₹781	▼ Euro	89.88

NCLT to pass order on Go First insolvency today

Bench will also decide on plea seeking interim moratorium on financial obligations

ENS ECONOMIC BUREAU @ New Delhi

THE National Company Law Tribunal (Delhi) will pass order on Go Airlines (India) Ltd's insolvency case on Wednesday.

The two-member bench comprising President Justice Ramalingam Sudhakar and L N Gupta would pronounce the order on Wednesday morning, according to a notice on the tribunal's website on Tuesday. The order will come a week after the low-cost carrier had filed for voluntary insolvency proceedings, blaming faulty Pratt & Whitney engines for the grounding of about half its 54 Airbus A320neo planes.

AI, IndiGo in talks with plane lessors

Air India and IndiGo are reportedly in talks with lessors to acquire Airbus A320neo planes from Go Airlines. Air India and IndiGo are said to be in talks with airport operators in Delhi and Mumbai regarding landing and parking slots

The bench would also decide on Go First's plea seeking an interim moratorium on its financial obligations. The tribunal on May 4 reserved its order after hearing the carrier and its aircraft lessors, who have opposed the petition seeking interim protection. Time is running out for the Wadia family promoted airline as more aircraft lessors are seeking to take back their planes. According to latest figures, various lessors have reached out to aviation regulator DGCA for the deregistration of 42 planes.

The country's largest conglomerate and owners of Air India, Tata Group, and the country's largest airline, IndiGo, are reportedly in discussions with the lessors to acquire Airbus A320neo planes from Go Airlines. Tata and IndiGo are also said to be in discussions with airport operators in New Delhi and Mumbai regarding landing and parking slot arrangements.

Lessors are caught in a tricky situation as the Insolvency and Bankruptcy Code (IBC) prohibits the recovery of any property by an owner if a company files insolvency plea. If Go First goes into insolvency, its lessors can't take back the planes. Meanwhile, junior aviation minister VK Singh on Tuesday said the government had previously held talks with P&W to resolve the issue at Go First. He also said a bailout can only happen if the engine issue is resolved. The cash-strapped airline on Tuesday said it will respond to the aviation regulator's show cause notice in due course and is taking possible measures to reduce inconvenience to the passengers. The airline cancelled all its flights till May 12 and suspended sale of tickets till May 15.

'No decision yet on diesel-run vehicle ban in major cities'

ENS ECONOMIC BUREAU @ New Delhi

THE petroleum ministry on Tuesday clarified that it had not taken any decision on the recommendations of a government committee on diesel car ban in the cities with population of over 10 lakh by 2027.

The government said the suggestions of Energy Transition Advisory Committee (ETAC), formed under the direction of the Ministry of Petroleum and Natural Gas, relate to multiple ministries and a range of stakeholders including states. "Consultation with various stakeholders on the report is yet to be initiated. No decision has yet been taken on ETAC recommendations," tweeted the ministry. The report of the ETAC, headed by former petroleum secretary Tarun Kapoor, also suggested blending of liquid petroleum gas with compressed biogas made from urban waste, use of methanol and ethanol as cooking fuel, and electric or solar-based cooking. The panel recommended to phase out scooter, motorcycle and three-wheelers with internal combustion engine by 2035 as India aims to achieve net zero emissions by 2070. The ministry said the committee has made wide ranging and forward-looking recommendations for shift to low-carbon energy and it has a futuristic outlook.

Fitch retains India's rating at 'BBB-'

ENS ECONOMIC BUREAU @ New Delhi

GLOBAL rating agency Fitch on Tuesday retained India's sovereign rating at 'BBB-' with a stable outlook saying the country has a robust growth outlook and resilient external finances.

A 'BBB' issuer default rating means default risk is low and payment capacity to meet financial commitments is adequate, but adverse business or economic conditions could impair this capacity. It said India will be one of the fastest-growing Fitch-rated sovereigns globally at 6% in FY24, supported by resilient investment prospects. However, the FY24 GDP forecast is lower than its earlier projection of 6.2%. It also lowered the country's economic growth rebound to 6.7% for 2024-25 as opposed to 6.9% projected earlier.

Inflation, low demand could slow down growth

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As per Fitch, large domestic market makes India an attractive place for foreign firms. However, it said it is unclear whether India will be able to realise sufficient reforms to allow the economy to benefit substantially from opportunities offered by the deeper integration in global manufacturing supply chains, including China+1 corporate strategies that encourage diversification in investment destinations. Service sector exports, however, are likely to remain a bright spot, it further added.

"We forecast headline inflation to decline, but remain near the upper end of RBI's 2%-6% target band, averaging 5.8% in FY24 from 6.7% last year. Core inflation pressure appears to be abating, falling to 5.7% in March, its lowest since July 2021," Fitch added.

ASIANOMICS

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SHARES TRADE MIXED AHEAD OF REPORTS

Stock markets across Asia traded mixed on Tuesday as investors remained cautious on global developments. Asia's broadest index MSCI Asia Pacific remained flat. Japan's benchmark Nikkei 225 rose 1.01% to 29,242.82. Hong Kong's Hang Seng lost 2.12% to 19,867.58, while the Shanghai Composite Shanghai Composite tumbled nearly 1.10% to 3,357.67. South Korea's Kospi shed 0.13% to 2,510.06. Australia's S&P/ASX 200 slipped 0.17% to 7,264.10. On Wall Street, S&P 500 rose less than 0.1% to 4,138.12, coming off its worst week in nearly two months on Monday. The Dow Jones Industrial Average slipped 0.2% to 33,618.69 while the Nasdaq composite added 0.2% to 12,256.92. High inflation, and fears about smaller and mid-sized banks dominated the previous week. However, a strong reading on US jobs calmed worries about a possible recession.

CHINA

EXPORTS RISE 8.5% IN APRIL

China's exports showed resilience in April, growing 8.5% despite weakening global demand, customs data showed Tuesday. The country's exports grew to $295.4 billion. However, the country's imports shrank at a faster pace at 7.9% year-on-year (YoY) to $205.2 billion. Trade surplus of the country widened in the reported month, growing 82.3 YoY. Exports grew 2.5% over the same period of 2022 to $1,117 billion in the first four months of the year, while imports contracted 7.3% to $822 billion. However, many forecasters believe exports should weaken this year as the global consumer demand weakened after the Federal Reserve and central banks in Europe and Asia raised interest rates to cool inflation.

PAKISTAN

PAKISTAN, CHINA AGREE TO EXTEND CPEC TO AFGHANISTAN

Pakistan, China and Afghanistan have reportedly agreed to forge closer economic ties by extending the Beijing-backed China-Pakistan Economic Corridor (CPEC) to Afghanistan. Pakistan Foreign Minister Bilawal Bhutto Zardari, his Chinese counterpart Qin Gang and Afghanistan's Taliban-appointed acting Foreign Minister Mawlawi Amir Khan Muttaqi held the 5th China-Afghanistan-Pakistan Foreign Ministers' Dialogue. The $60 billion CPEC aims to connect Pakistan's Gwadar port in Balochistan with China's Xinjiang province. As it traverses through Pakistan-occupied Kashmir (PoK), India has objected to the CPEC. The CPEC is officially regarded as the flagship project of China's multi-billion-dollar Belt and Road Initiative (BRI), the pet project of President Xi Jinping. While agreeing to enhance transit trade through Gwadar Port, the three parties emphasised the need to push forward 'hard connectivity' in infrastructure and 'soft connectivity' in norms and standards while further exploring the facilitating measures for the movement of people and trade activities between the three countries.

Job postings by start-ups see growth in past 3 months

ENS ECONOMIC BUREAU @ Bengaluru

THE hiring activity among start-ups has witnessed growth in the past three months. While there has been a 6% decline in e-recruitment for white-collar compared to the same period last year, the market for new and emerging job roles has seen an upsurge, said talent platform foundit in its monthly foundit Insights Tracker(fIT).

The overall hiring demand among start-ups has seen a strong 19% growth in April 2023 compared to the previous year. Tracker states India housed over 19,000 start-ups before the pandemic, and this number has swarmed up to over 80,000 last year, which created over 250,000 job opportunities. Over the past three months particularly, demand for talent among start-ups has seen impressive growth, the report said. The Tracker noted a 4% monthly dip, indicating cautious hiring sentiments among Indian recruiters. While BFSI (+3%), Travel & Tourism (+2%), and Import/Export (+13%) picked up on a month-on-month (MOM) basis, many sectors such as Logistics, Home appliances, and Oil and gas saw a steep fall.

Sekhar Garisa, CEO - foundit (previously Monster APAC & ME), a Quess company said the current global economic uncertainties have created a challenging environment for businesses, forcing them to navigate a rapidly changing environment. "Although hiring has declined, there are still a plethora of job opportunities in emerging industries for job seekers. Remarkably, the Indian start-up ecosystem has taken a turn, exhibiting resilience in hiring intent despite the prevailing job market challenges," he said. "While we expect cautious hiring sentiments to persist, we remain optimistic about job opportunities for candidates, particularly as start-ups continue to propel the demand for talent and innovation," he added. With 33%, Bengaluru accounts for the highest share of start-up jobs while Delhi, Mumbai and Pune hosted notable demand trends, it said.

Mankind share surges 32% on stock market debut

ENS ECONOMIC BUREAU @ Mumbai

MAKING a stellar debut on the bourses, Mankind Pharma share listed at a premium of 20% on Tuesday.

The shares finished the listing day with a gain of 32% over the upper end of the IPO price band of ₹1,080. The stock debut at ₹1,300 on the BSE and finished the listing day at ₹1,424 apiece.

The ₹4,326 crore IPO, which was the largest so far this year, received a strong response, as the issue was subscribed 15.32 times. Retail investors were not so bullish about the IPO and this quota was only subscribed 92%. The quota reserved for qualified institutional bidders was subscribed 49.16 times, while the portion for non-institutional bidders was booked 3.80 times.

LISTING GAIN (LOSS) OF IPOS IN 2023

Company Name	Issue Price (₹)	Listing Day Close (₹)	Listing Day Gain (₹)
Avalon Technologies Limited	436	397.45	-38.55
Global Surfaces Limited	140	170.9	30.9
Mankind Pharma Limited	1,080.00	1,424.05	344.05
Divgi Torqtransfer Systems Limited	590	605.15	15.15
Udayshivakumar infra Limited	35	33.39	-1.61
Radiant Cash Management Services Limited	94	104.7	10.7
Sah Polymers Limited	65	89.25	24.25

The issue was open for subscription between April 25-27 in the price range of ₹1,026-1,080 per share.

"Fast growing India centric Mankind Pharma truly deserves credit for bringing back life into the primary market during CY2023 with a stellar listing which provided a 30% return to retail investors and the icing on the cake was the allotment itself wherein almost all retail investors were allotted the shares," S Ranganathan, head of research at LKP Securities.

Mankind's strong show in the primary market has brought cheers to the retail investors as the companies that went public so far this year did not fare well.

Shares of recently listed firms such as KFin Technologies, Elin Electronics and Avalon Technologies are all trading below their IPO prices. "We see limited upside from here, thus investors are recommended to book profit and later enter at lower price, if available," Rajnath Yadav, Senior Analyst, Choice Broking.

CEO says ONDC to bring efficiency, innovation as platform sees more users

UMA KANNAN @ Bengaluru

FROM just 1,000 transactions a day in March, last week, the food and grocery domain on the Open Network for Digital Commerce (ONDC) has witnessed 20,000 transactions.

ONDC CEO T Koshy told this newspaper that with many players entering the space, the number of transactions on the open network have increased, and this will continue in other domains - grocery and mobility- too. The food and grocery space on the open network started functioning from January this year. Already, the mobility space is gaining significant transactions with the launch of Namma Yatri, which integrated with ONDC, in Bengaluru.

"We are operating in two cities- Bengaluru and Kochi- in the mobility domain, and we are already seeing 35,000 rides a day," he said. According to him, these are early stages and that whenever seller applications join the network, there will be huge transactions. Recently, Magicpin joined the network and became the largest restaurant aggregator with many restaurants being onboarded.

With more sellers joining the food and grocery space, the price war is continuing, and it is expected that this will continue in ecommerce and other domains in the coming months.

When asked about it, Koshy said it is an open network and that each one- buyers and sellers will have different strategies. "ONDC brings efficiency and innovation," he said.

The platform now has over 35,000 merchants and of which about 65% are operating in the food space. Rural fintech company Spice Money is one of the early buyer side apps to join the network. Its co-founder, ED and CEO Sanjeev Kumar told TNIE that this is a big opportunity for small players as ONDC is democratising ecommerce.

"Consumers will have a bigger price range to choose from and in the long-term, hyperlocal logistics prices will reduce, "Kumar said.

With huge opportunities in the ecommece space, there is space for both big and small merchants. According to industry experts, ONDC is not charging right now but might do so in future. Meesho integrated with ONDC in November last year to help connect buyers with hyperlocal sellers.

Delhi High Court throws out government's plea against RIL in gas migration dispute

RAKESH KUMAR @ New Delhi

IN a setback to the Centre, the Delhi High Court on Tuesday dismissed a government petition accusing the Mukesh Ambani-led Reliance Industries Ltd (RIL) and its partners of siphoning off gas from ONGC's deposits and enjoying 'unjust enrichment of over $1.729 billion'. The government had approached the HC to challenge a 2018 arbitration panel ruling that rejected the oil ministry's $1.5-billion fine on Reliance and its partners for selling gas that migrated from ONGC's fields in the KG basin to their block in the same area. The international arbitration tribunal had also awarded $8.3 million in compensation to the RIL-led consortium.

Upholding the arbitration ruling, which said Reliance had produced gas from its contract area and that there was no question of 'unjust enrichment', Justice Anup Jairam Bhambhani said the high court cannot undertake a merit review of the decision taken by a tribunal. "Suffice it to say that the view taken by the arbitral tribunal is most certainly a 'possible view', which calls for no interference," the HC said.

The dispute started in 2013, when ONGC shot off a letter to the Directorate General of Hydrocarbons, complaining of the gas pools of the Reliance Block and the ONGC blocks.

Under court directions, RIL and ONGC appointed US-based consultant DeGolyer and MacNaughton (D&M) to study if the gas fields in their blocks are inter-connected. D&M in its final report submitted in December 2015 said 11.122 billion cubic metres of ONGC gas migrated to D1 & D3 fields located in RIL's KG-D6 Block. In 2016, the petroleum ministry slapped a demand of $1.47 billion on RIL-BP-Niko consortium.

Reliance Industries owns the KG-D6 Block, where it has 60% stake. BP and Niko Resources hold 30% and 10% stakes, respectively.

The government argued that Reliance Industries-led consortium did not disclose any of the D&M reports to the oil ministry and instead went ahead and extracted gas, including those that migrated from ONGC's deposits to the private conglomerate's contract area. It was also contended that the gas migrated from ONGC pool was valued at $1.5 billion (as of 2016).

EXPRESS READ

BSNL's 4G rollout in full swing, will deploy 1 lakh sites for this purpose

New Delhi: State-owned telecom operator Bharat Sanchar Nigam Ltd (BSNL) is soon to launch 4G services in the country, and work on this is going on in full swing, said Minister of State for Communications Devusinh Chauhan on Tuesday. The minister said the firm will deploy 1 lakh 4G sites across the country.

DEBIT CARDS' POPULARITY WANES AS UPI PAYMENTS SURGE

SACHIN KUMAR @ Mumbai

THE debit cards appear to losing shine amid growing popularity of India's indigenously-developed payments system United Payment Interface (UPI).

The transactions through UPI have soared in the last financial year while usage of debit cards has declined, showed the Reserve Bank of India data.

Total number of transactions through UPI has soared 82% to 8,371 crore in 2022-23 from 4,595 crore in 2021-22, according to the RBI data.

However, the number of transactions through debit cards have declined by 13% to 341.9 crore in 2022-23 from 393 crore in 2021-22.

The waning popularity of debit card is also visible in terms of value of transactions. The total value of transactions through UPI has surged by 65 % to ₹139 lakh crore in 2022-23 from ₹84 lakh crore in 2021-22, while the total value through debit cards fell by around 1.5% to ₹7.2 lakh crore in 2022-23 from ₹7.3 lakh crore.

UPI transactions soar 82% in FY23, debit card use falls

Number of transactions via UPI has soared 82% to 8,371 crore in 2022-23 from 4,595 crore in 2021-22, as per RBI data. However, the number of transactions through debit cards have declined by 13% to 341.9 crore in 2022-23 from 393 crore in 2021-22

"The ease of using the platform has made it popular among individuals. Any bank's customer can join UPI platform and make payment. So there is no barrier in terms of which bank you are associated with. After an individual has linked his bank account to UPI, there no need for any additional details such as IFSC code, account details etc," Anup nayar, CEO of In-Solutions Global told this newspaper.

The popularity of debit card may be falling but the plastic cards are likely to stay in the market for longer.

"The debit cards still are playing important semi urban and rural areas. Also banks are deploying more Point of Sale (PoS) machines in semi urban and rural areas. They are playing important role in financial inclusion," a senior bank official told this newspaper.

"UPI and debit cards are important for economy as they help in reducing the use of physical cash in the country," he added.

According to the data, cash is expected to decline by 34 percent in transaction value by 2026 and digital wallets are expected to rise in transaction value by 88 percent by 2026.

SOUTH WESTERN RAILWAY

Tender Notice No. ECN/10/2023

The undersigned, on behalf of the President of India, invites E-Tenders for the following work.

Name of the Work	Approx. Value
(I) Electrical and lighting arrangements for the proposed ROB in LC.N.49 at Km. 63/900-64/000 in between Shivamogga and Kumsi Stations. (II) Electrical and lighting arrangements for the proposed ROB in LC.N.34 at Km. 47/400-500 in between Bhadravathi and Shivamogga Stations. (III) Modification / Shifting Electrical utilities along with Electrical and lighting arrangements for the proposed ROB in LC.N.219 at Km. 362/8-9 in between Ranebennur and Devaragudda Stations.	Rs. 70,02,988/-

Last date for submission of bids: **Upto 11:00 Hrs. on 26-05-2023**

For details log on: www.ireps.gov.in

Deputy Chief Electrical Engineer / Construction Bengaluru Cantonment

PUB/73/AAS/PRB/SWR/2023-24

S.W.Railways SWRRLY SWRRLY

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Food Products :

Groceries - Pulses, Spices, Dry Fruits, Atta & Maida, Vegetables, Fresh Noodles, Fruits, English Vegetables, Meat, Fresh Pork Cuts, Sea Food, Poultry, Eggs, Cage Free Eggs, Milk and Dairy Products,, Indian Sweets, Bread, Chappathi, Live Counter - Chat Items, Local Canned Products.

Non - Food Products :

Charcoal, Kitchen and Housekeeping General supplies, Office Stationery, Packaging & Disposable Products, Rock Salt, CCG Hiring Services, ODC Vehicles, Engineering consumables

Tender forms will be available in the office of the Purchase Manager, The Ritz-Carlton, Bangalore, No.99, Residency Road, Bangalore-560025 with an online payment of **Rs.2500/-+GST each Category (Non Refundable) Payment should be made via online transfer to the A/c details provided before collecting the tender form between 10:00 AM to 5:00 PM. from 11-05-2023 to 20-05-2023. Contact No.080-49148000/ 60/62/63.**

Sealed Tenders must be addressed to "The Tender Committee" Marriott Hotels Bengaluru. (The Ritz-Carlton Bangalore Hotel at Residency Road). The Tender Committee reserves the right to accept/reject the tenders in full or in the part without assigning any reasons whatsoever.

Last date for submission of filled Tender forms is 20-05-2023 before 05:00 PM.

GOVERNMENT OF ODISHA
Office of the Executive Engineer
Bhanjanagar (R&B) Division, Bhanjanagar.

(Phone/Fax: (06821) 241133/ E-mail: eernbbngr@yahoo.in)
Ltr. No.5117 // Dtd. 06.05.2023

INVITATIONS FOR BIDS (IFB)

B-177 E-Procurement Bid Identification No. E.E -BNJ-R&B- 04/2023-24.

1.	Name of work	: Renovation, Construction and interior furnishing of Sub-Divisional Hospital at Bhanjanagar AMA Hospital under 5T Transformation in the District of Ganjam, Odisha.
2.	No. of works	: 01 No. Building work
3.	No. of Covers	: Double Cover
4.	Estimated cost	: Rs.370.114 Lakhs
5.	Period of Completion	: Six Calendar Months
6.	Date of time of availability of bid document in the portal	: From 12.00 Noon of dated 11.05.2023 to 5.00 PM. of dated 17.05.2023.
7.	Last date/time for receipt of bids in the portal	: Up to 5.00 PM. of dated 17.05.2023.
8.	Date of opening of bid documents	: At 11.00 A.M. of 18.05.2023
9.	Class of Contractor	: "A" Class Contractor
10.	Name and address of officer inviting Bid	: Executive Engineer, Bhanjanagar (R&B) Division, Bhanjanagar.

Further details can be seen from the e-Procurement portal www.tendersodisha.gov.in. The Addendum / Corrigendum if any will be hosted in the website only.

Sd/- Executive Engineer, Bhanjanagar (R&B) Division

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Notitication for APGENCO e-Procurement NIT No.610001266

APGENCO invites tenders for Procurement of Boiler Pressure Parts Tubes for Stage-I/RTPP through APGENCO E-Procurement Platform.

Estimated Contract Value : **Rs.2,84,32,950/-**

Schedule available date & time from 19:00 hrs on 05.05.2023 onwards. Bid submission closing date & time 13:00 hrs on 19.05.2023. For other details visit website, Viz. **www.apgenco.gov.in & https://etender.apgenco.gov.in**

DIPR No.2068PP/CL/ADVT/1/1/2021-22, Dt: 09/05/2023

TAMILNADU INDUSTRIAL DEVELOPMENT CORPORATION LIMITED

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Recruitment Notification

Notification No.TIDCO/HR/Recruitment/2023-1 **Dated: 10.05.2023**

Applications are invited for the following posts only through online mode from 10.05.2023 at 10.00 am to 29.05.2023 upto 5.00 pm from the eligible candidates who wish to join the services in Tamilnadu Industrial Development Corporation Limited (TIDCO).

S.No.	Name of the Post	No. of vacancy	Compensation	Mode of Recruitment
1	Assistant Manager (Accounts)	One (1)	Apprx. Rs.1.0 lakh per month (Negotiatble - Depending on experience and qualification)	On Contract basis
2	Assistant General Manager (Finance)	One (1)	Apprx. Rs.1.50 lakh per month (Negotiable - Depending on experience and qualification)	
3	Financial Analyst	One (1)	Apprx. Rs.2.00 lakh per month (Negotiable -Depending on experience and qualification)	

For the detailed notification, qualification, experience, selection process, online application and other details, please visit our official website **https://tidco.com** / **https://careers.tidco.com.**

MANAGING DIRECTOR TIDCO

DIPR/479/Display/2023 "சோதனை கடந்து சுதந்திரம் அடைந்தோம் சாதனை புரிந்து சரித்திரம் படைப்போம்"

PUBLIC NOTICE

To General Public informs that my client namely, **A.P. PRAVEEN KUMAR** S/o. Late. A.P. Puttappa, aged about 52 years, my client is the absolute owner of the of Flat/Unit No.4, constructed in the third floor, VLANCIA APARTMENT, formed out in Site No.28, Katha No. 110/126/4, situated at Chellakere Village, K.R. Puram Hobli, Bengaluru East Taluk (Earlier South Taluk), Now comes under BBMP limit, Bengaluru and he had purchased the same by his vendor namely A.V. Darshit S/o Sri. A.P. Vasu @ A.P. Vasudev through a registered sale deed dated 23.05.2022. My client traveling in BMTC bus from Babusapalya to Banaswadi at about 10 am, on 05.05.2023 at time he lost the **Original Release deed i.e. Mother Deed dated 31.08.1999** and same was registered as document No. 4015/199 2000, stored on CD No. ICD-032, **dated 27.12.1999,** registered before Krishanarajapuram Sub-Register office, K.R. Puram, Bengaluru. On same day my client had lodge complaint before the Hennur police station the said police have issued Acknowledgment/ lost report No. 0554914/2023 Dated 05.05.2023. Hence, General Public or Finders please contact the below address.

N.R. RAGHAVENDRA & ASSOCIATES,
No. 960/1, D.M. Complex Opp. V.V. convention Hall, Babusapalya, Kalyan Nagar Bengaluru-560 043.
Mob: 9342878203/ 9448112159
raghanallur@gmail.com

PUBLIC NOTICE

My client intends to purchase property morefully described in the schedule given hereunder from its owner namely Sri. N. Rajagopal son of late Nagappa and others. Anybody having interest or title or claim or agreement on the schedule property, they should come forthwith copies of documents in support of such claim and produce the same to the undersigned **within 10 days** from the date of publication of this notice, failing which, my client shall proceed with the purchase of the schedule property as if no such claims exist or that they have been waived or abandoned.

SCHEDULE PROPERTY

All that piece and parcel of the house property bearing No.9/1, PID Katha No.405/405/358/182/9/1, situated at Channasandra Village, Bidarahalli Hobli, Bangalore East Taluk, now coming under BBMP limit Ward No. 83, Kadugodi, Bangalore measuring East to West: 156+ 180/2 feet and North to South: 34 + 47/2 feet, totally measuring 6804 sq. ft. consisting of ground, 1st, 2nd, 3rd and 4th floor of RCC roofed house and bounded on: **East by:** Road, **West by:** Road, **North by:** Road, **South by:** Srinivas reddy's land and Sy.no.8/1.

Address: **N. Kumar,** Advocate, No. 105, 1st Floor, 3rd Cross, Gandhinagar, Bangalore-560 009. Mob : 9448507701

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Sl. No.	Online Tender no. / Rate Contract (RC) No./ item with qty./ Document Cost	Sale Period	Pre Bid	Last Date Submission	Opening
1.	Online RC Tender No.E987/BRACHY/RC/TNMSC/ENGG/ 2023, dt: 08.05.2023, Fixing rate contract for Brachytherapy Unit and purchase of Brachytherapy Unit to RGGGH on buy back basis – Rs.5,725/-	11.05.2023 to 25.05.2023	17.05.2023 11.00 AM	26.05.2023 11.00 AM	26.05.2023 12.00 Noon
2.	Online RC Tender No.E988/EYE/RC/TNMSC/ENGG/2023, dt: 08.05.2023, Operating Microscope with Assistant Scope and Camera with LED (4), Applanation Tonometer (29) & Direct Ophthalmoscope (34)– Rs.5,725/-	12.05.2023 to 29.05.2023	18.05.2023 11.00 AM	30.05.2023 11.00 AM	30.05.2023 12.00 Noon
3.	Online RC Tender No.E989/EYE/RC/TNMSC/ENGG/2023, dt: 08.05.2023, Auto Perimeter (1), OCT (1), Fundus Camera without ICG Capabilities (1) & Phaco Emulsifier (4 Crystal) – Rs.5,725/-	12.05.2023 to 29.05.2023	18.05.2023 11.30 A.M	30.05.2023 11.00 AM	30.05.2023 12.00 Noon
4.	Online RC Tender No.E990/CEN/RC/TNMSC/ENGG/2023, dt: 08.05.2023, Centrifuge (7), Refrigerated Centrifuge (4) & Centrifuge – Sero Fuge (18) – Rs.5,725/-	12.05.2023 to 29.05.2023	18.05.2023 12.00 Noon	30.05.2023 11.00 AM	30.05.2023 12.00 Noon

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GOVERNMENT OF ODISHA,
OFFICE OF THE CHIEF CONSTRUCTION ENGINEER, RURAL WORKS CIRCLE, SAMBALPUR

Tel- 0663-2548268, E-mail id- serwcirclesbp@yahoo.com

O-119: Chief Construction Engineer, Rural Works Circle, Sambalpur on behalf of **Odisha State Rural Roads Agency** invites **Percentage (%)** bids through e_ Procurement from eligible class of experienced bidders for construction of Bridges including maintenance for 5 years under **Pradhan Mantri Gram Sadak Yojana PMGSY-III, Batch-I of 2022-23.**

1	Name of work.	: Construction of Bridge/Bridge with Bandhara works including five year maintenance under PMGSY-III, Batch-I of 2022-23.
2.	Class of Contractor	: As mentioned in Annexure
3.	No of packages	: 04 Nos of Package
4.	Estimated cost	: **Varies from Approx. Rs.344.54 Lakha to Rs.598.85 Lakh (Information in DTCN will be Final)**
5.	Bid submission fee	: Rs.10.000/- (Non-Refundable) per set of package
6.	Mode of submission of tender	: Only through online in website. **www. pmgsytenders.gov.in**
7	Summary of key date are provided below:	

Procurement Officer	Bid Identification No.	Availability of Tender online for bidding – From	Availability of Tender online for bidding – To	Last date & time for seeking clarification	Last Date and time of submission of Original documents	Date & Time of opening of tender – Technical Bid	Date & Time of opening of tender – Financial Bid
Chief Construction Engineer, Rural Works, Circle, Sambalpur	PMGSY online RWCSBP 03-2023/24	18.05.2023 From 11.00 A.M.	07.06.2023 Up to 5.00 P.M.	03.06.2023 Up to 5.00 P.M.	12.06.2023 By 5.00 PM	08.06.2023 At 11.00 A.M.	Will be intimated later

***Special conditions** 1- EPF registration is mandatory before drawl of agreement. 2- Rate quoted by the contractor shall be excluding GST. 3- Bid submission fee and original affidavits should be submitted at the **O/o Chief Construction Engineer, Rural Works Circle, Sambalpur Or O/o Executive Engineer / Superintending Engineer of Concern Rural Works Division.**

* Details can be seen from the e-procurement portal **www.pmgsytenders.gov.in**

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GOVERNMENT E-MARKET PORTAL-SUPPLY IMPLEMENTATION AND MAINTENANCE OF REDHAT OPEN SHIFT CONTAINER PLATFORM PLUS AND DEVSECOPS WITH MANAGED SERVICES

BID NO: GEM/2023/B/3423213 DATED 08.05.2023

The Above GEM Tender document is also available and can be downloaded from the following websites **www.iob.in** & **www.gem.gov.in** For Tender details and future amendments, if any, keep referring to the following website **www.gem.gov.in**

SYMBOLIC POSSESSION NOTICE

ICICI Bank **Branch Office:** ICICI Bank Ltd. 4/10, Mythree Tower, Bommanhalli Hosur Main Road Bangalore- 560068

Whereas

The undersigned being the Authorized Officer of ICICI Bank Limited under the Securitisation, Reconstruction of Financial Assets and Enforcement of Security Interest Act, 2002 and in exercise of the powers conferred under section 13 (12) read with Rule 3 of the Security Interest (Enforcement) rules 2002, issued demand notices upon the borrowers mentioned below, to repay the amount mentioned in the notice within 60 days from the date of receipt of the said notice.

As the borrower failed to repay the amount, notice is hereby given to the borrower and the public in general that the undersigned has taken Symbolic possession of the property described herein below in exercise of powers conferred on him/ her under Section 13(4) of the said Act read with Rule 8 of the said rules on the below-mentioned dates. The borrower in particular and the public in general is hereby cautioned not to deal with the property and any dealings with the property will be subject to the charge of ICICI Bank Limited.

Sr. No.	Name of the Borrower/ Loan Account Number	Description of Property/ Date of Symbolic Possession	Date of Demand Notice/ Amount in Demand Notice (Rs.)	Name of Branch
1.	Gangulappa Rathnamma/ Sudhir S/ LBBNG00005539211	Schedule "A" Property: (Details Of The Entire Property) Item No.1: All That Part And Parcel Of An Immovable Converted Residential Property Bearing Site No.948 Formed In Sy. Nos.27/1, 117, 118/1 And 118/2 Vide Conversion Order Bearing No.bda/ Commissioner/214/1988-89, Dated: 22/26-09-1988, Situated At Valagerehalli Village, Kengeri Hobli, Bangalore South Taluk, Measuring East To West 90 Ft. X 50 Ft. Totally Measuring 4500 Sq.ft., And Bounded On: East By: Site No.969 West By : Road, North By: Private Property, South By: Site No.949. Item No.2: All That Part And Parcel Of An Immovable Converted Residential Property Site No.949 Formed In Sy.Nos.27/1, 117, 118/1 And 118/2 Vide Conversion Order Bearing No.Bda/Commissioner/214/1988-89, Dated: 22/26-09-1988, Situated At Valagerehalli Village, Kengeri Hobli, Bangalore South Taluk, Measuring 90' X 50' Totally Measuring 4500 Sq.ft., And Bounded On: East By: Site No.968 West By: Road, North By: Site No.948, South By: Site No.950. Schedule "B" Property: (Description Of Undivided Share Here By Conveyed) 471 Sq.ft. Undivided Share, Right And Interest In The Land Comprised In Schedule "A" Property. Schedule "C" Property: (Description Of Flat Here By Conveyed] All That Part And Parcel Of An Immovable Residential Property Bearing Duplex Flat No.S-3, (3BHK), On The Second Floor, In The Multistoried Residential Apartment Building Known As "punam Parijatha", Having 1599 Sq.ft. Built Up Area And Super Built Up Area Of 1902 Sq.ft. Together With 471 Sq.ft. Undivided Share, Right, Title And Interest, Along With One Covered Car Parking Space, Now Comes Under The Jurisdiction Of BBMP, Having RCC Roofing, Vitrified Tiles Flooring, Flush Doors And Aluminum Windows, Along With Electricity, Water And Sanitary Connection, Inclusive Of Proportionate Share In Common Areas Such As Passages, Lobbies, Staircases, Lifts, Garden Space And Other Area Of Common Use And Flat Bounded On: East By: Private Property, West By: Flat No. S-4, North By: Flat No.S-2, South By: Private Property. Date Of Symbolic Possession On/ 04/05/2023.	27.12.2022 Rs. 61,73,585.00/-	Bangalore
2.	Venkatesh G/ Lakshmanna G N/ LBBNG00005163488	(As Described In The Loan Document / Property Document Covering All That Piece And Parcel Of Property No.32, Katha No.68/2, Situated At Hongasandra Village, Begur Hobli, Bangalore South Taluk, Bangalore And Measuring East To West 30' (Thirty Feet) And North To South 45' (Forty-Five Feet) And Bounded On The: North: Road South: Site No.41 East: Site No.31 West: Site No.33/ Date On Symbolic Possession On/ 04/05/2023.	30.08.2021 Rs. 28,85,439.00/-	Bangalore
3.	Chunduru Srinivasa Gupta/ Chunduru Sridevi Gupta/ LBBNG00001521975/ LBBNG00002640897/ LBBNG00001729904	Schedule A Property All That Piece And Parcel Of The Property Bearing Site Nos No. 58 & 63. New Mahadevpura Cmc Clubbed Khatha No.124, SV No: 130, Situated At Munnekolala Village, Varthur Hobli, Bangalore East Taluk, Respectively. Measuring 4800 Sq.ft, Which Is More Fully Described In The Schedule Below And Hereinafter Referred To As The Schedule Property Bounded As Follows: Item-1 All That Piece And Parcel Of The Property Bearing Site No 58 & 63, Khatha No.124, SY.No: 130, Situated At Munnekolala Village, Varthur Hobli. Bangalore East Taluk, Respectively, Measuring East To West 60 Feet And North To South 80feet In All 4800 Sq.ft And Bounded By: East By: 30ft Road, West By: Sits Nos.64 & 57 North By: Road, South By: Road. Schedule-B Property Undivided Share, Right, Title And Interest In The Immovable Property Which Is Now Known As Pavani Paradise And Bearing Site No.58 & 63, Khata No. 124, Survey No. 130, Situated At Munekolala Village, Varthur Hobli, In The Jurisdiction Of Mahadevapura CMC, Bangalore East Taluk, Bangalore, Morefully Mentioned In The Schedule-A Above. The Site Area Of The Schedule- B Property Works Out To 285 Sq.ft. Schedule-C Property All That Residential Flat Bearing No G04 On The Ground Floor Of The Apartment Known As Pavani Paradise, Situated At Property Bearing Site No.58 & 63, Khata No: 124, Converted Videly Order No.BDS ALN (E) VB/SR/88/2004-05 Dated 28/06/2004. Survey No.130, Situated At Munekolala Village. Varthur Hobli, In The Jurisdiction Of Mahadevapura Cmc, Bangalore East Taluk, Bangalore, Totally Measuring About: 1055 Sq. Ft., Of Super Built Up Area Together With One Covered Car Park Space In The Stilt Floor, Date Of Symbolic Possession On/ 04/05/2023.	13.12.2022 Rs. 28,98,837.00/-	Bangalore
4.	Vishal Bhomia/ Suman Bhomia/ LBBNG00006080943	Property Schedule Schedule 'A' All That Piece And Parcel Of The Converted Land Bearing Sy No.49/2, Presently Bearing Bruhat Bangalore Mahanagara Palike Katha No.3/49-2, Measuring 2 Acres, Converted Vide Official Memorandum Dated 19/2/2010, Bearing No.ALN/SR(S.BE)100/09-10, Issued By The Special Deputy Commissioner, Bangalore District, Situated At Naganathapura, Begur Hobli, Bangalore South Taluk, And Bounded On The: East By: Property Belonging To Sri.P.K. Narayana Reddy: West By: Land In Sy.No.49/1; North By: Road To Royasandra; South By: Sri.dasappa's Land; Note: The Area Mentioned In The 'schedule A' Above, Shall Always Be Read As '81985 Sft., Le, After Deducting The Area Taken For Road Expansion On The Northern Side Of The Schedule A Property. Hence The Allotment Of Undivided Share And The Super Built Up Area Are Calculated Out Of 81985 Sft. Schedule 'B' 407 Sq.feet Undivided Right, Title And Interest In The Immovable Property Mentioned In Schedule "A" Above. Schedule 'C' Residential Flat Bearing No.n-910 In Nineth Floor, Block "Nagarjuna" Admeasuring 1461 Sq.feet Super Built Up Area, Containing Three Bedrooms, Together With One Covered Car Parking Space/s In The Ground Floor, Constructed With Rcc Roofing, Vitrified Flooring And Aluminum Windows Along With Proportionate Share In Comunon Areas Such As Passages, Lifts, Lobbies, Staircase, Contained In The Multistoried Building Over The Schedule A Property Known As "Brindavan Palms"./ Date Of Symbolic Possession On/ 04/05/2023.	24.01.2023 Rs. 54,18,581.00/-	Bangalore
5.	Godwin Victoria/ Versline Victoria/ LBBNG00004417178	Schedule-A Property All That Piece And Parcel Of The Immovable Property Bearing Survey No.117/3, An Extent Of 331/4 Guntas Out Of 1 Acre 26½ Guntas, Situated At Doddathoguru Village, Begur Hobli, Bangalore South Taluk, Bangalore, Duly Converted For Residential Use. And Bounded On The: East By : Remaining Portion Of Gopala Reddy's Land (Sy.No.117/8) West By: Hanumantha Reddy's Land, North By : Green House Layout, South By: Private Layout, Schedule-B Property An 4% Out Of 60% Of Undivided Share Of Ownership Right, Title And Interest In The Schedule-a Property Works Out To Be About 748 Square Feet. Schedule-C Property Residential Apartment Bearing Flat No.a10, In The Ground Floor Of The Building Known As "Sri Sai Home Style", Constructed In The Schedule-a Property Measuring Super Built Up Area Of 1870 Square Feet Consisting Of Three Bed Rooms, One Hall, A Kitchen Together With Proportionate Share In The Common Areas For The Purpose Of Ingress And Egress In The Entrances, Terrace And Other Open Areas With One Covered Car Park. East By: Corridor & A2, West By: Open To Sky. North By: Flat No.A11, South By: Flat No.A9/ Date of Symbolic Possession On/04/05/2023	24.01.2023 Rs. 51,24,064.00/-	Bangalore

The above-mentioned borrowers(s)/ guarantors(s) are hereby given a 30 day notice to repay the amount, else the mortgaged properties will be sold on the expiry of 30 days from the date of publication of this Notice, as per the provisions under the Rules 8 and 9 of Security Interest (Enforcement) Rules 2002.

Date : May 10, 2023
Place : Bangalore

Authorized Officer
ICICI Bank Limited

STATE BANK OF INDIA
RETAIL ASSETS CENTRAL PROCESSING CENTER, WHITEFIELD BENGALURU

Authorised Officer's Details:
Name :Smt. S.K. Geetha
Chief Manager
E-mail ID: sbi.17753@sbi.co.in
Mobile No: 8904815180
Landline No.(office): 080-28411010

Authorised Officer's address:
RETAIL ASSETS CENTRAL PROCESSING CENTER- II
NO.117, Neil Rao Towers,
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Bengaluru - 560 066. Tel: 080-28411010
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APPENDIX- IV-A
[See proviso to rule 8 (6) & 9(1)]
E-AUCTION ON 25.05.2023
SALE NOTICE FOR SALE OF IMMOVABLE PROPERTY

E-Auction Sale Notice for Sale of Immovable Property (excluding movables, if any, lying in the premises) under Securitization and Reconstruction of Financial Assets and Enforcement of Security Interest Act, 2002 read with proviso to Rule 8(6) & 9(1) of the Security Interest (Enforcement) Rules, 2002.

Notice is hereby given to the public in general and the Borrower/Mortgagor in particular that the below described immovable property mortgaged/charged to the Secured Creditor, State Bank of India, Bengaluru, the actual physical possession of which has been taken by the Authorized Officer of the Bank, will be sold on "As is where is", "As is what is", and "Whatever there is" basis on **25/05/2023** for recovery of **INR 33,22,317/- (Thirty three lakhs twenty two thousand three hundred and seventeen Only) as on 15/03/2023 and further interest at contractual rate from 16/03/2023** with incidental expenses + costs, charges etc., due to the Secured Creditor, State Bank of India from the **Borrower:Mr.Pramod Maniraj & Mrs. Rajitha Pramod**

(For HL A/c No.**32740398487, HL Top Up A/C No. 36184531626 and HL Suraksha A/c no. 32740536235**)

The Reserve Price, Earnest Money Deposit (EMD), Bid increment amount and time of e-auction and last date for submission of EMD along with KYC documents for immovable property to be sold will be as under:

Sl No.	Reserve Price (Below which the property will not be sold)	Earnest Money Deposit (EMD)	Bid increment Amount	Time of e-Auction of Property
1	**INR 36,32,040.00** (Thirty Six Lakhs Thirty Two Thousand Forty Only)	**INR 3,63,204/-**(Three Lakh Sixty Three Thousand Two Hundred Four Only)	**INR 50,000/-(Fifty Thousand Only)**	**25.05.2023 From 11.30 a.m. to 12.30 p.m.**

DESCRIPTION OF PROPERTY

TENDER No. SBI/RACPC-17753/ /2023-24/

SCHEDULE 'A' PROPERTY : All that piece and parcel of land comprised in Sy.Nos.30 (7 acres 24.5 guntas), 31(6 acres 25.5 guntas), 32 (9 acres 06 guntas), 33 (9 acres 37.25 guntas), 34 (6 acres 0.5 guntas) and 161 (2 acres), Kadatanamale Village, Hesaraghatta Hobli , Bangalore North Taluk Bangalore , in all measuring 41 acres 13.75 guntas (18,00,933.75 sq.ft).This includes 10 acres 28.68 guntas of land reserved for the purpose of Park and Open Spaces (8 acres 9.623 guntas i.e. 3,58,960 sq.ft), Civic amenities (2 acres 2.827 guntas, i.e. 90,199.52 sq.ft), widening of the Doddaballapur Road abetting Sy. No.161 and area left for the proposed 15 meter CDP Road comprised in Sy.Nos. 30/1 , 30/2 & 30/3 (16.23 guntas, i.e., 17,690.74 sq.ft) and bounded on **East by:** Land in Sy. No 160, Doddaballapur Road, Land in sy.Nos.162,163,164,40 & 41. **West by:** Land in Sy. No 41, 29, 30/7(p), 31/4(p), 31/3(p), 31/2(p), 31/1(p), 34/2(p), 34/1(p) **Northby:** Land in Sy. No 37, 38 and 160 South **By:**Land in Sy .no.41 & 2929.

SCHEDULE 'B' PROPERTY : (Undivided share hereby agreed to be sold to the Purchaser out the Schedule 'A' Property.) A 0.0263% (342.99 sft) of undivided share, right, title and interest in the Schedule-A Property in the land measuring 1,00,661.05 square feet apportioned to the residential development forming part of Schedule-A property.

SCHEDULE 'C' PROPERTY: (Description of the Apartment): A Three Bedroom apartment **bearing No.303 (Property No.1502002500220312)** on the **THIRD FLOOR** in Block/Wing E 1 of the residential complex known as **PROVIDENT WELWORTH CITY** to be constructed in the Schedule-A Property, having a super built up area of **1,180** sq.ft. (Which is inclusive of the floors, ceiling and walls between the apartment, and proportionate share in all common areas and clubhouse area) together with exclusive right to use ONE Stilt reserved car parking space.

To the best of knowledge of the Authorised Officer, there is no encumbrance on any of the above said properties. For further details Contact : **M/s. NPA Recovery Squad Pvt. Ltd., Bengaluru Cell No. +91 9845465465** and for detailed terms and conditions of the sale, please refer to the link provided in **https://www.mstcecommerce.com/auctionhome/ibapi/index.jsp.**

Sd/- Authorized Officer
State Bank of India
RACPC, Whitefield, Bengaluru

Place: Bengaluru
Date: 09.05.2023

PUBLIC NOTICE

(LOSS OF SALE DEEDS & Will DEED)

The General Public are hereby notice that my client B.S.Mahalakshmi, residing at No.63, Mountain Street, 1st Block, Jayanagar East, Near Madhavan Park, Bangalore-560011 and my client is the absolute owner of the immovable commercial cum residential municipal no.10, BBMP PID No.60-112-10, Situated at 28th A Cross Road, 4th Block, Jayanagar, LIG, KHB Colony, BBMP Ward No.169, Old No.60, Bangalore, measuring East to West: 38.9feet and North to South: 55.6feet in all measuring 2150square feet together with 26square building(consisting of Ground and First floor, each floor 13squares),. My client had informed that while travelling from Majestic Bus Stop to Jayanagar, she had lost the Original sale deeds bearing Doc.No.582/1979-80 , Doc.No.566/1986-87 and Will deed bearing Doc.No.344/2000-01, after that her best effort to search she could not traced out the same, in this regard-my client has lodged a complaint intimating the loss of said original sale deeds and Will deed vide Lost Report No.0558210/2023 dated 09.05.2023 to Crime Branch, Bengaluru City Police and it is requested to the General Public that the same is found they may be handed over to the address given below, it is made clear that if the above mentioned original sale deed is used for any wrongful and illegal purpose, my clients would not be liable for the same.

Place - Bengaluru Dated: 09.05.2023

S A Law Associates
No.29/1, Old No.54, G. Floor Behind Bank of Baroda, Nanjappa Road, Shanthinagar Bengaluru-27

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E-AUCTION SALE NOTICE (UNDER SARFAESI ACT, 2002)

E-AUCTION SALE NOTICE FOR SALE OF IMMOVABLE ASSET CHARGED TO THE BANK UNDER THE SECURITISATION AND RECONSTRUCTION OF FINANCIAL ASSETS ANDENFORCEMENTOFSECURITYINTERESTACT,2002("SARFAESI ACT")READ WITHRULE8(6) OFTHESECURITYINTEREST (ENFORCEMENT)RULES,2002("RULES")

Notice is hereby given to the public in general and in particular to the Borrower, Guarantor (s) and Mortgagor (s) that the below described immovable properties mortgaged/charged (collectively referred as "Property") to **RBL Bank Ltd.** ("Secured Creditor/Bank"), the **physical possession** of which has been taken by the Authorised Officer of the Bank under section 13(4) & section 14 of the SARFAESI Act read with the Rules, as detailed hereunder, will be sold on **"As is where is", "As is what is", "Whatever there is" and "Without Recourse Basis" on 30.05.2023,** for recovery of the Bank's outstanding dues plus interest as detailed hereunder under Rules 8 and 9 of the Rules by inviting bids as per below e-auction schedule:

Brief Description of Parties, Outstanding dues and Properties

Sl. No.	Name of the Borrower & Guarantor(s)	Details of Property	Amount as per Demand Notice / Date of Demand & Possession Notice under SARFAESI Act	Inspection Date and Time	Reserve Price / EMD / Bid Increase Amount	Date/ Time of e-Auction	Last Datefor Receipt of Bids along with documents	Name of Authorised Officer/ Phone No./ E-mail Id
1.	**1. M/S. NGR GENERAL STORE 2. MRS. S VARALAKSHMI** (Co-Borrower, Guarantor & Mortgagor, Legal Heir of Deceased Mr. Shiva Kumar R) **3. MR. PAVAN KUMAR S** (Co-Borrower & Legal Heir of Deceased Mr. Shiva Kumar R) **4. MR. PRAVEEN KUMAR S** (Co-Borrower & Legal Heir of Deceased Mr. Shiva Kumar R)	**ITEM NO.1:** All that piece and parcel of property bearing Site No. 45, Khatha No. 8743 (Old Khatha No. 5145) measuring 45x(47+37/2)ft, totally measuring 1890 Sq.ft and Site No. 46, Khatha No. 8744(Old No.5146), measuring 32x(37+34/2)ft, totally measuring 1136sq.ft, both measuring together 3026sq.ft, Situated at: Gunagalu road east side, S.S.M Layout, Sir. M. Vishveshvariah Layout, Hoskote Town, Bengaluru Rural District and **bounded on the: East by:** Private Property, **West by:** Road, **North by:** Road, **South by:** Property belongs to R.Shivakumar. **Property is owned by Smt. S.Varalakshmi.**	**Rs.2,63,61,749.82 (Rupees Two Crore Sixty Three Lakh Sixty One Thousand Seven Hundred Forty Nine And Eighty Two Paisa Only)** as on 23rd December 2021 **Demand Notice dated: 23-12-2021. Date of Possession: 24-01-2023.**	**29-05-2023 between 11:00 p.m. to 2:30 p.m.**	**ITEM NO:1 Rs.2,18,38,000/- (Rupees Two Crores Eighteen Lakhs and Thirty Eight Thousand Only) EMD: Rs.21,83,800/- (Rupees Twenty One Lakhs Eighty Three Thousand and Eight Hundred Only) Increase amount: Rs.50,000.00 (Rupees Fifty Thousand Only)**	**30-05.2023 11:30 A.M To 12:30 P.M With unlimited extensions of 5 min. Each**	**On or Before 29-05-2023 upto 5:00 P.M.**	**MR. GUNASEELAN A/ 9600144498/ gunaseelan.a @rblbank.com**

TERMS AND CONDITIONS: (1) The E-Auction Sale will be online through e-auction portal. The interested bidders are advised to go through the detailed terms and conditions of auction available on the website of **https://www.bankeauctions.com & https://www.rblbank.com/pdf-pages/news** before submitting their bids and taking part in e-auction. **(2)** It shall be the responsibility of the bidders to inspect and satisfy themselves about the Property and specification before submitting the bid. **(3)** The interested bidders shall submit their EMD details and documents through Web Portal: **https://www.bankeauctions.com** (the user ID & Password can be obtained free of cost by registering name with **https://www.bankeauctions.com**) through Login ID & Password. The EMD shall be payable through Demand Draft, issued by a Scheduled commercial Bank favouring **"Authorised Officer, RBL Bank Ltd", before 5:00 PM on or before 29-05-2023. (4)** Interested bidders may avail support/ online training on E-Auction from **M/s. C1 India Pvt Ltd Contact No: 7291981124/25/26. Contact Person Mr. Vinod Chauhan Mob No: 981388793, e-mail-Id: delhi@c1india.com** and for any query in relation to Property, they may contact **Mr. GUNASEELAN A, Authorised Officer (Mob. No. 9600144498, email: gunaseelan.a@rblbank.com). (5)** The Authorised Officer of the Bank reserves the right to accept or reject any or all bids, & / or to postpone/cancel the auction at any time without assigning any reason whatsoever and his decision in this regard shall be final and binding.

STATUTORY 15 DAYS SALE NOTICE UNDER THE SARFAESI ACT

The Borrower, Guarantor(s) and Mortgagor(s) are hereby notified to pay the aforementioned sum along with further interest thereon plus penal and other interest and amounts as per the Transaction Documents before the date of E-Auction failing which, the Property will be auctioned/ sold to recover the outstanding dues.

Date: 10-05-2023, Place: Bangalore **Sd/- Authorised Officer, RBL Bank Ltd.**

Billings reveals battle with skin cancer

England wicketkeeper Sam Billings has revealed his battle with skin cancer and now wants to create awareness among fellow players on the dangers of being exposed to the sun. Billings underwent two operations last year to remove a malignant melanoma on his chest, he informed on social media on Tuesday. He was diagnosed with skin cancer following a routing screening at his county Kent.

'Done deal': Messi set for billion-dollar Saudi move, says source

AGENICES @ Riyadh

ARGENTINE superstar Lionel Messi will play in Saudi Arabia next season under a blockbuster deal, a source told AFP on Tuesday, potentially joining his arch-rival Cristiano Ronaldo as the kingdom lavishes its oil wealth on sport. Messi will sign a "huge" deal with an as-yet-unnamed club, said the source, who is close to the negotiations that are taking place just months after the 35-year-old lifted the World Cup in Qatar.

"Messi is a done deal. He will play in Saudi Arabia next season," said the source, speaking on condition of anonymity. "The contract is exceptional. It's huge. We are just finalising some small details," added the source, who is not authorised to speak to media.

There was no confirmation from Messi's current club Paris Saint-Germain, which noted simply that he was under contract until June 30 when contacted by AFP. A separate PSG source said: "If the club had wanted to renew his contract, it would have been done earlier."

Just five years after allowing its first non-Muslim tourists visit and letting women drive, Saudi Arabia is attempting to open up its conservative society and diversify its oil-reliant economy. The world's biggest oil exporter has thrown hundreds of millions at sports deals including Ronaldo's signing, F1 in Jeddah and the divisive LIV Golf tour, drawing frequent claims it is "sportswashing" its human rights record. Messi was suspended by Qatari-owned PSG last week for an unauthorised mid-season trip to Saudi, where he is a tourism ambassador.

His expected arrival follows in the footsteps of his long-time sparring partner Ronaldo, who joined Saudi Pro League club Al Nassr in a massive deal in January. Ronaldo's agreement to June 2025 is said to total more than 400 million euros ($439 million), making him the world's highest paid athlete according to Forbes. Messi is expected to get around $500 million a year for two years.

Both deals -- along with others including LIV Golf and the 2021 purchase of Newcastle United football club – are being bankrolled by the Public Investment Fund (PIF), one of the world's biggest sovereign wealth funds, the source said.

"The negotiations didn't take as much time as the ones with Ronaldo. As we now know the recipe to contract world-class players," said the source. "It's Saudi Arabia that brought him not a specific club. The Money comes from one place -- PIF."

Messi's father says no deal agreed with a future club

PARIS: With speculation over Lionel Messi's potential next destination turning into a frenzy his father intervened Tuesday to say no deal has been agreed over a move to Saudi Arabia or return to Barcelona. Messi's contract with Paris Saint-Germain runs until the end of June, and his father Jorge Messi said nothing will be decided before PSG's season finishes on June 3. "There are always rumors and many use the name of Lionel to gain notoriety but there's only one truth and we can assure you that there is nothing with anyone," Jorge Messi posted on his Instagram account. "Neither verbal, nor signed, nor agreed, and there won't be anything until the end of the season."

Lionel Messi with wife Antonella Roccuzzo during an awards night on Monday | AP

PSG protesters

Messi, who turns 36 in June, has had two lacklustre seasons in Paris after a glorious era at Barcelona where he won four Champions League and 10 La Liga titles, and is still worshipped by the fans. The record seven-time world player of the year, joining a mouth-watering attack featuring Kylian Mbappe and Neymar, scored just 11 goals in his first season as he helped PSG to a routine Ligue 1 title. But PSG have got no closer to a coveted maiden Champions League victory.

According to reports Messi's wife could be the stumbling block as she reportedly not keen on Saudi Arabia move. She is reportedly would not want to relocate with their three young sons.

Ruturaj's quiet operation, sizeable impact for Chennai

While Conway has made headlines, right-hander a vital cog for team

GOMESH S @ Chennai

RUTURAJ Gaikwad has just walked beside the nets in the centre wicket at the MA Chidambaram Stadium. It is the pre-match practice session on the eve of the clash against Delhi Capitals on Wednesday. Inside the nets is his partner-in-crime, Devon Conway. Over the next 10-15 minutes, a fully geared-up Gaikwad — shadow practicing his stride — watches Conway go about playing his shots to the throw downs from Michael Hussey and others.

In retrospect, the visual of it is not very different from the way the season has gone for the two Chennai Super Kings openers. Conway — 458 runs from 10 innings, fourth-highest run-getter after the match between Punjab Kings and Kolkata Knight Riders on Monday. Gaikwad is not too far behind either, with 384 runs, but it would not be unfair to say that he had to wait and watch as Conway rack up big scores for fun — something he himself is known for.

Having started the season with a 92 and 57, Gaikwad is yet to notch up a half-century post those knocks. It is not that he has not had a good innings or not contributed to the team's start. Against Mumbai Indians, he smashed a 16-ball 30 to set the tone in the chase. However, it is a bit unlike Gaikwad to not convert the starts and accumulate big runs as he has done for the franchise as well as his state team in the domestic season. In fact, it is something he has been known for. In last year's Vijay Hazare Trophy, he smashed 660 runs in five games. This year, in the IPL, his last five scores read 35, 35, 47, 37 and 30. However, neither Gaikwad, nor the CSK management is worried about it. Batting coach Hussey says that it is more about how Gaikwad is batting than the numbers on the scorecard. "He's batting beautifully, his balance is great. The conversations have been about around his mindset and he's been very clear about how he wants to play," said Hussey.

Meanwhile, he understands how frustrating it can be for Gaikwad to not convert the starts, even more so when there are no set patterns to the dismissals. In his last five innings, Gaikwad has gotten out thrice trying to attack the bowler, one run out and a good delivery from Suyash Sharma against KKR. "Really good start and you just find different ways to get out. I don't think there's been a consistent trend in his dismissals. That's why I'm not really that concerned."Ask the man himself and he is just trying to play his shots when the ball is in his areas. "With the impact player rule, you have to make sure you don't hold yourself back," the CSK opener had said after the game against Mumbai. Former CSK player Suresh Raina, too, is pleased not just with Gaikwad's batting but his overall presence on the field. "His bat-speed has improved a lot, every time he times a shot, he is easing into it, he is thinking like a captain," said Raina, who is an expert on Jio Cinema.

Back in Chepauk, Conway has left the nets after his session. Gaikwad is in the middle, trying to get into his zone. It starts with a flick here, a defence there, a nudge here, and a punch there — some timed well, some chipped and others mistimed. He takes turns with Ravindra Jadeja and by the time his third stint comes, Gaikwad shows his full repertoire.

Full story: newindianexpress.com

Ruturaj Gaikwad (L) and MS Dhoni during a practice session on Tuesday | ASHWIN PRASATH

DELHI TEST FOR SUPER KINGS

CHENNAI SUPER KINGS TAKE ON DELHI CAPITALS IN A HOME GAME. A LOOK...

CSK spinners vs DC batters

Maheesh Theekshana, Moeen Ali, Ravindra Jadeja up against David Warner, Phil Salt, Rilee Rossouw and Mitchell Marsh at Chepauk means only one thing. The contest between Chennai spinners and Delhi overseas batters could be a mouthwatering one, and may even have a crucial impact on the result. Do not be surprised if you see Moeen coming on to bowl in the powerplay.

Role of Axar

While Axar Patel has made the most of every opportunity he has had so far, the all-rounder hasn't gotten enough time in the middle with his entry points. With the way points table is poised and how the surfaces are assisting spin, his role with the bat becomes even more crucial. And how to make the most of his hitting ability is something the team management have been discussing as well, said assistant coach Shane Watson.

Can Salt shine in Chennai?

In his five innings, Salt has had two fifties and three low scores. Both his big knocks have come in the team's home ground, and when they played away games, he has struggled. To play against Chennai in Chennai will be a huge litmus test for the England batter. And the team management would be hoping that he comes good for the sake of their campaign.

CHENNAI SUPER KINGS VS DELHI CAPITALS, 7.30 PM, CHENNAI

Star Sports Networks and Jio Cinema

CSK look to move closer to playoffs

ASHOK VENUGOPAL @ Chennai

WITH an aim to make it to the playoffs as early as possible, Chennai Super Kings will go all out against Delhi Capitals when they take on the David Warner-led side at the MA Chidambaram Stadium on Wednesday.

The match is being billed as Chennai's spinners against Delhi's mercurial overseas batting talents. CSK spinners Ravindra Jadeja, Moeen Ali and Maheesh Theekshana have been bowling in tandem and testing the best of batters in the tournament with their guile.

It will be interesting to see how Warner, Phil Salt and Mitchell Marsh handle the spinners.

CSK got back to their winning ways with a convincing victory over Mumbai Indians and would be hoping to pick up two points against the Delhi Capitals who have struggled in the first part of the tournament.

Delhi Capitals lost their first five games on the trot, but have won four of their last five games after that and are now in with a shot of joining the mid-table. Capitals are still placed last on the points table, but as things stand, there is only a three-point difference between them and third-placed Lucknow Super Giants.

To keep their chances alive, Capitals must first get past Wednesday's hosts, something they have failed to do often. Delhi have beaten CSK in Chennai only on two occasions in eight attempts, the last being in 2010.

"I think they have got a few stars in their lineup. Any team that has the likes of Warner, Marsh... Ishant Sharma is also a quality player as well, so they have been in good form and they have won four out of their last five matches. So they are coming here with a bit of confidence,'' said Michael Hussey, CSK batting coach.

Ben Stokes has been batting and bowling in the nets, but even if he is fit and ready to play, it will be difficult for CSK to play him as team dynamics is such. Devon Conway, Ali, Matheesha Pathirana and Theekshana are the four first choice overseas players right now and they have been doing well.

Shane Watson, part of CSK as a player in the past, is looking forward to an exciting tussle. "Yeah, it's a great time to come here and play in Chennai, it is an incredible atmosphere here and it's going to be a great battle tomorrow (Wednesday) night," the current Delhi assistant coach said.

Delhi players in a light mood ahead of the crunch clash vs Chennai | ASHWIN PRASATH

SKY shines bright, takes MI into top 4

MUMBAI: A trademark Suryakumar Yadav innings provided the ballast from which Mumbai Indians chased down 200 with 3.3 overs remaining against Royal Challengers Bangalore in the IPL on Tuesday. His 83 off 35, featuring six sixes, helped the hosts climb up to third in the table. MI have won three of their last four matches. After asking RCB to bat first on a true surface, Jason Behrendorff's 3/36 in four overs helped keep the target down to 200 after Glenn Maxwell's 33-ball 68 had threatened to take the game away.

Brief scores: RCB 199/6 in 20 ovs (Maxwell 68, Du Plessis 65) **lost to** MI 200/4 in 16.3 ovs (Suryakumar 83, Wadhera 52 n.o).

CAPITAL CLASH

Two of the most storied clubs in Italy go head to head with the aim of returning back to a Champions League final after ages. A look at the Milan derby on Wednesday night.

BACKGROUND

AC Milan

The Serie A holders have been having a funny old season in the league. They are currently in fifth and face the prospect of not qualifying for next year's Champions League. However, in Europe, they have been a solid team, even if they are performing well over what their numbers suggest. The backbone of their European adventure has been based on their defence as they have conceded only six goals across the first 10 games.

KEY MAN

RAFA LEAO

The Portuguese winger is a dynamite in a squad filled with experienced heads. He can be direct and can knit those passes in the final third. In what's expected to be a tight affair, his enterprise could be the difference. However, he is an injury doubt.

5 In their last six games in the Champions League, they have kept five clean sheets even if their expected Goals Conceded is 6.8

BACKGROUND

Inter

Inter have sort of mirrored their crosstown rivals achievements this season in that they have not been all that in the league (11 losses from 34 games and in fourth place). In Europe though, it has worked more times than it has not. Given a kind draw, they have got past both Porto and Benfica. Of late, they have also hit top form as they have won five on the bounce in all competitions.

2002 The two clubs met in the semifinal of this competition in the 2001-02 season with Milan advancing on the away goals rule.

Live on Sony Pictures Networks @12:30 am on Thursday (IST)

KEY MAN

NICOLO BARELLA

The bellwether player in the Inter squad in that if he plays well, Inter usually play well. He not only recycles possession but is also a progressive passer and has scored some important goals for the club this season, including three in the Champions League.

Boxers Deepak, Nishant one win away from medals

EXPRESS NEWS SERVICE @ Chennai

DEEPAK Bhoria was handpicked ahead of Amit Panghal for the ongoing IBA Men's World Boxing Championships in Tashkent.

It was a bold move given that Panghal is a proven talent and a former silver medallist at the marquee competition. Moreover, Panghal had put up a vintage performance to win gold (just to highlight recent form) in the Commonwealth Games last year. But the selectors saw enough tools in Deepak to give him the nod ahead of Panghal.

And that move is turning out to be a masterstroke as Deepak, after a comprehensive performance on Tuesday, is now just one hit away from joining a rare club. He now has the chance to medal at the elite competition, a feat that has been achieved only by seven Indian men so far.

Up against Jiamao Zhang of China in the 51kg pre-quarterfinal, the Haryana boxer won by a 5-0 verdict. Meanwhile, Nishant Dev (71kg) also won his bout to enter quarterfinals. Akash Sangwan (67kg) and Sachin Siwach (54kg) lost to bow out.

EXPRESS READ

Athlete scoops two gold in half an hour

PHNOM PENH: A Vietnamese athlete won the women's 1,500m and the 3,000m steeplechase within half an hour of each other at the Southeast Asian Games, in an imperious display of regional track dominance. Nguyen Thi Oanh was the reigning champ in both, as well as the 5,000m — which she successfully defended a day earlier.

Shooters seek strong start at ISSF WC

BAKU: India's Sarabjot Singh, Shiva Narwal and Varun Tomar in men's section and Divya TS, Esha Singh and Rhythm Sangwan in women's division will aim for top podium finishes in 10m air pistol event when the ISSF World Cup (pistol & rifle) commences here on Wednesday.

PCB opposes Asia Cup venue shift to SL

KARACHI: Pakistan cricket officials have opposed the shifting of this year's Asia Cup to Sri Lanka and are seriously mulling boycotting the regional tournament if their proposal is not accepted by the Asian Cricket Council (ACC). Pakistan Cricket Board chief Najam Sethi met with officials of the ACC in Dubai on Tuesday and objected to the move.

UWW extends U-17, 23 Asian C'ships entry deadline for India

FIROZ MIRZA @ Chennai

THE United World Wrestling (UWW) has extended the deadline to submit entries for the U-17 and U-23 Asian Championships for Indian grapplers. The deadline was May 10 but the UWW extended it to May 17. However, as the ad-hoc committee formed by the Indian Olympic Association (IOA) to run the day-to-day affairs of the Wrestling Federation of India (WFI) is holding trials to select teams from May 17 to 19, the world governing body gave relaxation to the panel and fixed May 22 as the last date for the Indian teams.

"The UWW had already extended the deadline but we needed more time so we requested extension. The trials will be over on May 19 and we can submit the entries latest by May 22," a source in the know of things told this daily.

The age-group continental championships is scheduled in Bishkek, Kyrgyzstan from June 10-18. Before the event, a Ranking Series is also scheduled at the place. The Indian wrestlers, who competed in the recently-concluded senior Asian Championships will take part in the event. A short camp is expected to be held from May 15-30 and a longer one later after Asian Games selection.

Meanwhile, the ad-hoc panel is mulling resumption of the national camp, which has been suspended due to the ongoing protest by renowned wrestlers against the WFI and its sidelined president Brij Bhushan Sharan Singh. It is learnt that the panel which has only one member, Wushu Association of India chief Bhupendra Singh Bajwa, discussed the issue during its first meeting on Monday.

"Women wrestlers' camp is expected to be organised separately. The men wrestlers, both freestyle and Greco-Roman, are likely to camp in Sonepat while women's camp could be held at IG Stadium in New Delhi. A final decision in this regard will be taken soon," said the source. The panel also postponed the U-15 and U-20 National Championships proposed in Pune later this month. The new dates will be announced soon, read a statement by the panel.

Asian Games trials

Given the situation, it is unlikely that the WFI could be held before selection of the team for Asian Games. Sources told that the last date to submit final entries is June 30 and in all probability the ad-hoc committee will conduct trials next month. Notably, the WFI had sent the provisional entries in the past which had names of protesting wrestlers like Bajrang Punia and Vinesh Phogat. The only exception was Sakshi Malik, who is also a part of the protest at Jantar Mantar.

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POSSESSION NOTICE
(For Immovable Property)

Where as the undersigned being the Authorised Officer of the Federal Bank Ltd. under the Securitisation& Reconstruction of Financial Assets and Enforcement of Security Interest Act, 2002 (hereinafter referred to as Act) and in exercise of powers conferred under section 13(12) of the said Act read with rule 3 of the Security Interest (Enforcement) Rules, 2002 (hereinafter referred to as Rules) issued a demand notice dated 12.10.2022 calling upon the borrowers (1) Qthree Ventures Pvt Ltd., a company within the meaning of Companies Act 2013 having its registered office at No.87, Second Floor, 27thMain, Sector-1, HSR Layout, Opp. HSR Police Station, Bangalore, 560102 (Formerly Q Three Ventures, a partnership firm consisting of partners (a) Mr. Jubin Peter, (b)Mr. Karthik Shivan (c) Mr. Davis Jacob and (d) Mr. Sabu K.O), (2) Mr.Jubin Peter, S/o Pallupetta Ouseph Peter, Pallupetta House, Rayonpuram P O, Perumbavoor, Ernakulam, Kerala-683543, (3) Mr. Karthik Shivan, S/o Shivan, residing at #002, 2nd Main, 2nd Cross, Near Royal Conor, Chelikere, J R Layout, J R Arcade, Bangalore North, Kalyananagar, Bangalore -560043, (4) Mr.Sabu K O., S/o Ouseph K K, Kallapurakkal House, Mala, Pallipuram PO, Thrissur, Kerala 680732,(5) Mr. Davis Jacob, S/o. Jacob Paracka, Paracka House, Kizhakkumbhagom, Ernakulam, Kerala 683575,(6) Mrs.Grace Jacob, W/o. Jacob Paracka, Paracka House, Kizhakkumbhagom, Ernakulam, Kerala 683575,(7) Mr. Jacob P.A., S/o. Antony, Paracka House, Kizhakkumbhagom, Ernakulam, Kerala 683575,(8) Mr.Pallupetta Ouseph Peter, S/o P Augustine Ouseph, Pallupetta House, Rayonpuram P O, Perumbavoor, Ernakulam, Kerala-683543,(9) Mr.Ouseph K.K S/o. Kunjipailo, since deceased, represented by his legal heirs. (a) Mr.Sabu K O., S/o. Ouseph K K, (b)Mrs. Leena D/o. Ouseph K K.,(c) Mrs. Linda D/o. Ouseph K K., (d)Mrs. Liya, D/o. Ouseph K K, (e)Mrs.Lisha D/o. Ouseph K K, all residing at Kallapurakkal House, Mala, Pallipuram PO, Thrissur, Kerala 680732,, (10)Mr.Regie Paul, S/o. Paulose, Aikanaveil House, G-25,Green Garden, Edappally Toll, Marakkar Road, Ernakulam, Kerala 682024, (11) Mrs. Mariamma R Paul, W/o. Regie Paul, Aikanaveil House, G-25, Green Garden, Edappally Toll, Marakkar Road, Ernakulam, Kerala 682024, (12) Mr. Sasi M., S/o. Madhavan K, residing at # 72/2B Jai Bhuvaneshwari Road, Jaraganahalli Kanakapura Road, Bangalore South J.P Nagar, Bangalore 560078, (13) Mrs Rani M.S., W/o Sasi M., residing at # 72/2B Jai Bhuvaneshwari Road, Jaraganahalli Kanakapura Road, Bangalore South J.P Nagar, Bangalore 560078, (14) Mr. Anoop Padmanabhan S/O Madhavan K #72/2B, Jai Bhuvaneshwari Road, Jaraganahalli Kanakapura Road, Bangalore South, J P Nagar, Bangalore-560078, (15) Mrs. Shalini S., W/o. Anoop Padmanabhan #72/2B, Jai Bhuvaneshwari Road, Jaraganahalli Kanakapura Road, Bangalore South, J P Nagar, Bangalore-560078, (16) Mrs Shiny Preman, W/o. Tintulal S.,#72/2B, Jai Bhuvaneshwari Road, Jaraganahalli Kanakapura Road, Bangalore South, J P Nagar, Bangalore-560078, (17) Mr.Arun Pappin, S/o. Padmanabhan, residing at Ragam Mavelipuram Colony, Kakkanad (PO) Ernakulam 682030. to repay the amount mentioned in the notice being (1) Rs. 8,86,86,460.63 (Rupees Eight Crore Eighty-Six Lakh Eighty Six Thousand Four Hundred Sixty and paise Sixty Three Only) as on 06/10/2022 under Cash Credit A/c. No. 18275500000102 with further interest thereon @10.30 % p.a. with monthly rests from 01/10/2022 and (2) Rs.2,04,77,425.00 (Rupees Two Crore Four Lakh Seventy Seven Thousand Four Hundred Twenty Five Only) as on 08/10/2022 under WCTL- GECL Loan A/c. No.18276900000221 with further interest thereon @ 9.25% p.a. with monthly rests from 08/10/2022. within 60 days from the date of receipt of the said notice.

The borrower having failed to repay the amount, notice is hereby given to the borrower and the public in general that the undersigned has taken possession of the property described herein below in exercise of powers conferred on him/her under section 13(4) of the said Act read with rule 8 of the said Rules on this 05th day of May the year 2023.

The borrower/s' attention is invited to the provisions of section 13 (8) of the Act, in respect of time available, to redeem the secured assets (security properties).

The borrower in particular and public in general is hereby cautioned not to deal with the property and any dealings with the property will be subject to the charge of the Federal Bank Ltd. For an amount of Rs.9,98,98,744.63 (Rupees Nine Crore Ninety Eight Lakhs Ninety Eight Thousand Seven Hundred and Forty Four and Paise Six Three Only) comprising (1) Rs. 7,83,63,985.63 (Rupees Seven Crore Eighty Three Lakhs Sixty Three Thousand Nine Hundred and Eighty Five and Paise Sixty Three Only) as on 30/04/2023 under Cash Credit Loan A/c No 18275500000102 and (2) Rs. 2,15,34,759.00 (Rupees Two Crore Fifteen Lakhs Thirty Four Thousand Seven Hundred and Fifty Nine Only) as on 08/04/2023 under WCTL- GECL Loan A/c. No.18276900000221 and interest thereon.

Description of the Immovable Property

(1) All the piece and parcel of Site No 379, measuring East to West 12.19 mtrs. And North to South 9.14. sq.mtrs in all measuring 111.42 sq.mtrs formed out of Sy.No.117/2, 119/2, 116,117/1,118/2, 118/4, 123, 125/1, 125/2, 122/1, 114/1, 126, 118/3, 115 and 119 out of total extent of 41 Acres10 Guntas situated at Mahatma Gandhi Nagar, Railway Men Layout, Mugalur Village, Sarjapura Hobli, Anekal Taluk, Bangalore District of Karnataka State and bounded on East: Road, West: Site No.405 & 406, North: Site No.378 and South: Site No.380.(As per the sale deed No.3416/2015-16 dated 4.09.2015 of SRO Basavanagudi)

(2) All the piece and parcel of vacant residential Site No 1492, measuring East to West 24 Mtrs and North to South 15 Mtrs, in total measuring 360 Sq.Mtrs situated at 5th Block BSK VI stage, Near RV College of Architecture, Uttarahalli Hobli, Bangalore South Taluk, Bangalore 560 060 and bounded on East: Site NO.1479,West: Road, North: Site 1493 and South: Site 1491(As per sale deed No.13762/2003-04 dated 4.02.2004 of SRO Bangalore Urban)

(3) All the piece and parcel of vacant Site No 17 measuring East to West 15 Mtrs and North to South 11.45 Mtrs. In all measuring 171.75 Sq. mtrs formed out of Sy.No.117/2, 119/2, 116,117/1, 118/2, 118/4, 123, 125/1, 125/2, 122/1, 114/1, 126, 118/3, 118/2, 115 and 119 out of total extent of 41 Acres10 Guntas situated Mahatma Gandhi Nagar, Railway Men Layout, Mugalur Village, Sarjapura Hobli, Anekal Taluk, Bangalore District and bounded on East: Site no.7, West: Road, North: Site No.18 and South: Road(As per the sale deed No.3415/2015-2016 dated 04/09/2015 of SRO Basavanagudi.

(4) All the piece and parcel of vacant Site No 257, measuring East to West 12.20 Mtrs and North to South (21.70+21.60)/2 in all measuring 264.13 sq. mtrs formed out of Sy. No.48/1, Grama Panchayat Katha 154/257 of Sy. Nos. 43/4,5,6 & 7, 45/1 & 11, 46/1A & 2, 47/1,2,3,4,5 & 648/1, 50/3, 5, 6 & 8, 51, 52/5, 53/1, 54/1A, 55/2, 3, 4, & 5 situated at Shaik Rahiman Nagar, Hejjala Village, Railwaymens HBCS, Manchanakanahalli Grama Panchayat, Bidadi Hobli, Ramanagara District bounded on East: Site No.258, West: Site No.256, North: Road, South: Private property (As per the sale deed No.2632/2019-20 dated 21/06/2019 of SRO Ramanagara)

Date : 05.05.2023 **Sd/- Authorised Officer**
Place : Bengaluru **Federal Bank Ltd.**

ಕರ್ನಾಟಕ ರಾಜ್ಯ ಹಣಕಾಸು ಸಂಸ್ಥೆ,
Karnataka State Financial Corporation
(Established under the State Financial Corporation's Act. 1951)
ಶಾಖಾ ಕಛೇರಿ, ನಂ:153/ಎ, ಕೆ.ಆರ್.ರಸ್ತೆ, ಸುಭಾಷ್ ನಗರ, ಮಂಡ್ಯ–571 401.
ದೂರವಾಣಿ ಸಂಖ್ಯೆ: 08232–226745
Mobile No. 9845425656
Email: mnd.ksfc@karnataka.gov.in Website:www.ksfc.in

POSSESSION NOTICE
[(Appendix IV) RULE 8 (1)]

WHEREAS, at the request of M/s. Annapoorneshwari Rice Mill, a Proprietary concern having its place of business at Katha No.132. Krishnapura Village, Kikkeri Hobli, K R Pete Taluk, Mandya District, represented by its Proprietor Sri C G Girish S/o Late Govindashetty, [hereinafter called THE BORROWER] the KARNATAKA STATE FINANCIAL CORPORATION [for short THE CORPORATION] sanctioned term loan of Rs.16.00 lakhs and working capital term loan of Rs.4.00 lakhs on 03.12.2012, additonal Working capital term loan of Rs.10.00 lakhs on 30.09.2013 and additonal term loan of Rs.10.00 lakhs on 13.01.2015 and entire term loan & additional Working capital term loans have been fully disbursed.

WHEREAS as Collateral Security for the repayment of the said loans Sri C G Girish S/o Late Govindashetty, mortgaged his property bearing Katha/ Property No.194/244, Old Sy.No.64/1, Chikkalale Village, Chowdenahalli Grama Panchayath, Krishnapura, Kikkeri Hobli, K R Pete Taluk, Mandya District [hereinafter called THE SURETY] which is morefully described in the schedule hereunder as Collateral Security for the repayment of the above said loans and has executed the security documents in favour of the Corporation and incorporated the agreed terms and conditions therein. Whereas the said borrower /surety had failed to make repayment of loan liability. The corporation had initiated recovery action under SARFAESI Act against secured property

WHEREAS, the undersigned being the Authorised Officer of the Karnataka State Financial Corporation under Securitisation and Reconstruction of Financial Assets and Enforcement of Security Interest Act, 2002 and in exercise of powers conferred under Section 13 (2) read with Rule 9 of the Security Interest (Enforcement) Rules 2002, issued a Demand Notice dated 30.04.2020 calling upon the borrower/ the surety Sri C G Girish S/o Late Govindashetty, to repay the amount mentioned in the notice being Rs.32,71,980.20 (Rupees Thirty two lakhs seventy one thousand nine hundred and eighty and paise twenty only) as on 10.04.2020 along-with further interest & other debits to be debited within 60 days from the date of receipt of the said notice. The said demand notice was duly served.

The Borrower / surety having failed to repay the amount, notice is hereby given to the Borrower / Surety and the public in general, that the undersigned has taken possession of the properties described herein below in exercise of powers conferred to her under Section 13(4) of the said Act read with Rule 9 of the said Rules on 03.05.2023 "AS IS WHERE IS BASIS".

The borrower/ surety in particular and the public in general are hereby cautioned not to deal with the property and if any dealing made in respect of schedule property will be subject to the charge of the Karnataka State Financial Corporation for an amount of Rs.32,71,980.20 (Rupees Thirty two lakhs seventy one thousand nine hundred and eighty and paise twenty only) as on 10.04.2020 and further interest & other debits thereon.

DESCRIPTION OF THE PROPERTY

All that piece and parcel of the land & building bearing Old Sy.No.60/4, of Chikkalale Village, New Pachayath Katha/ Assessment /Property No.194/244, situated at Chowdenahalli Grama Panchayath, Krishnapura, Kikkeri Hobli, K R Pete Taluk, Mandya District measuring 4.25 Guntas (4629 Sq.Ft.) duly converted vide ALN (CR) 108/96-97, dated 13.01.1997, by Assistant Commissioner, Pandavapura, together with building structures constructed and to be constructed there upon and bounded by :

East : Residence belongs to Sri Budabudike Puttaiah
West : Property belongs to Katha No.132 (Rice Mila & Brick Works)
North : Property belongs to Sri Poojari Rangaiah
Sourth : Hemagiri Road

DATE : 03.05.2023 Sd/-
PLACE : MANDYA AUTHORISED OFFICER/
ASST.GENERAL MANAGER

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Maharashtra State Electricity Transmission Co. Ltd.

INVITATION FOR BID (IFB) (LOCAL COMPETETIVE BIDDING) (RFx No. 6000001081)

SRM E-Tender No. T-2306/MSETCL/CO/Projects/Pre-tender

MSETCL invites offers by SRM E-Tendering in two-bid system **(Techno-Commercial Bid and Price Bid)** from the eligible registered bidders for the turnkey works contract for construction of the following SS under Pune Zone.

Sr. No.	Name of Substation	Estimated Cost in Rs. Lakh
1	Turnkey work contract for balance work of 220kV D/C line between 400kV Solapur PG to 220kV Bale S/s, under Pune, Zone.	1,776.43 (Exclusive of GST)

Interested bidders may obtain further information available on website **www.mahatransco.in** or **https://srmetender.mahatransco.in/**
Any further amendments will be published on the above referred website only, so bidders are requested to check the website.
The Bid Documents are available on website from 08.05.2023 @ 18:20 Hrs to 09.06.2023 @ 12:00 Hrs for downloading.

Sd/-
Chief Engineer (Projects)
MSETCL

BBJ KOLKATA

THE BRAITHWAITE BURN AND JESSOP CONSTRUCTION COMPANY LIMITED
(A Government of India Enterprise)
Regd. Off.: 27, Rajendra Nath Mukherjee Road, Kolkata - 700 001
Phone No. (033) 2248-5841-44; Fax: (033) 2210-3961
E-mail : info.bbjconst@bbjconst.com; Website: www.bbjconst.com

NOTICE INVITING EXPRESSION OF INTEREST (EOI)

Expression Of Interest (EOI) are invited, from reputed Firms/ Agencies/ Contractors for empanelment towards execution of various civil works.

EOI No.: BBJ/GM(P&P)/EOI-02/CIVIL/2023 Dated 09-May-2023

Tender documents may be downloaded from www.bbjconst.com. Sealed applications shall have to be submitted to BBJ's Head Office (at above address) up to 15:00 hrs. on or before **8th June 2023** and opening of applications will be on **9th June 2023** at 15:00 hrs. "Corrigendum", if any, would appear only on the BBJ's website & e-Procurement portal and not to be published in any newspaper.

SMART CITY THIRUVANANTHAPURAM LIMITED
CIN U75302KL2017SGC05027

E-TENDER NOTICE

E-Tenders are invited for the following projects of Smart City Thiruvananthapuram Limited Project Area 1) Request for proposal RFP for Selection of Contractor for Development of Smart Roads and Underground Ducting Including Utility Shifting of Water Supply and Power lines in ABD area Under Smart (Corporation Roads) in Thiruvananthapuram.

Sl. No.	Name of Project	E Tender ID	PAC Amount (Exclusive of GST)	Bid Submission Last Date
Selection of Contractor for Development of Smart Roads and Underground Ducting Including Utility Shifting of Water Supply and Power lines in ABD area Under Smart (Corporation Roads) in Thiruvananthapuram				
1	Road ID 185 (MRT Road)	2023_SCTLT_552621_3	Rs.1 ,66,77,152	11/05/2023
2	Road ID 31A(Keezhe Thampanoor Road)	2023_SCTLT_551304_2	Rs.3,20,36,478	11/05/2023
3	Road ID 180 & 181 (Kamukuvilakom Road and Ankalamman Nagar)	2023_SCTLT_551497_2	Rs.3,51,84,212	11/05/2023
4.	Road ID 100 (Justice Sankaranarayana Street)	2023_SCTLT_551252_3	Rs.2,64,00,214	11/05/2023

Date and Time of Opening Price Bid: To Be Intimated Separately to Technically Qualified Bidders by e-mail. All the RFP documents and details are available on the e-Procurement Website. Bids are only accepted online on the Website https://etenders.kerala.gov.in,

(Sd/-), CHIEF EXECUTIVE OFFICER,
SMART CITY THIRUVANANTHAPURAM Ltd.

FEDERAL BANK

YOUR PERFECT BANKING PARTNER

The Federal Bank Ltd., Loan Collection and Recovery Department / Bangalore Division, No. 3, Church Street, 2nd Floor, MSR West Park, Bengaluru-560 001, Karnataka, Phone: +91 9986591245, Email: bgricrd@federalbank.co.in Website: www.federalbank.co.in, CIN: L65191KL1931PLC000368

POSSESSION NOTICE
(For Immovable Property)

Where as the undersigned being the Authorised Officer of the Federal Bank Ltd. under the Securitisation & Reconstruction of Financial Assets and Enforcement of Security Interest Act, 2002 (hereinafter referred to as Act) and in exercise of powers conferred under section 13(12) of the said Act read with rule 3 of the Security Interest (Enforcement) Rules, 2002 (hereinafter referred to as Rules) issued a demand notice dated 23.11.2022 calling upon the borrowers (1) Smt. Jasmine Simi A H alias Jasmin Simi A H, D/o Ahamed Hoja S (2) Smt. Auva Beevi, W/o Ahamed Hoja S both are residing at 69/2,7th Cross, Rainbow Garden, Begihalli, Jigani Road, Bannergatta, Bangalore – 560105, Karnataka, to repay the amount mentioned in the notice being Rs. 4,23,097.50 (Rupees Four Lakh Twenty Three Thousand and Ninety Seven and paise Fifty only) under FHS loan with Account Number 15717300001056 within 60 days from the date of receipt of the said notice.

The borrower having failed to repay the amount, notice is hereby given to the borrower and the public in general that the undersigned has taken possession of the property described herein below in exercise of powers conferred on him/her under section 13(4) of the said Act read with rule 8 of the said Rules on this 5th day of May the year 2023.

The borrower/s' attention is invited to the provisions of section 13 (8) of the Act, in respect of time available, to redeem the secured assets (security properties).

The borrower in particular and public in general is hereby cautioned not to deal with the property and any dealings with the property will be subject to the charge of the Federal Bank Ltd. for an amount of Rs.3,02,211.50 (Rupees Three Lakhs Two Thousand Two Hundred and Eleven and Paise Fifty Only) as on 29.04.2023 under FHS loan with Account Number 15717300001056 and interest thereon.

Description of the Immovable Property

All that piece and parcel of the residential Site bearing No. 69/2, V.P.Khatha No. 90/2, Sy No.3 measuring East to West: 30 ft., and North to South: 40 ft., totally measuring 1200 sq.ft., with all other improvements thereon situated at, Begihalli Village, Jigani Hobli, Anekal Taluk, Bangalore now called as Rainbow Garden Layout Bangalore District, Karnataka State, bounded on East by: Site No.68/1, West by: Site No.69/1, North by: Road and South by: Road and bounded presently on East by: Site No.68/1, West by: Site No.69/1, North by: 7th Cross internal road and South by: 8th Cross internal road.

Date : 05.05.2023 **Sd/- Authorised Officer**
Place : Bengaluru **The Federal Bank Ltd**

TMB Tamilnad Mercantile Bank Ltd

Tamilnad Merchantile Bank Ltd.,
Regd. Office : 57, V.E. Road, Thoothukudi - 628 002. Website : www.tmb.in

BANGALORE CANTONMENT BRANCH
No.29, Mahalaxmi Chambers, M.G.Road, Cantonment, Bangalore – 560001.
Phone No. 080-25594359, 25584400 & Mobile : 9880885447

POSSESSION NOTICE

Whereas the undersigned being the Authorised Officer of the Tamilnad Mercantile Bank Ltd., under the Securitisation and Reconstruction of Financial Assets and Enforcement of Security Interest Act 2002 and in exercise of powers conferred under Section 13(12) read with rule 3 of the Security Interest (Enforcement) Rules 2002, issued a demand notice dated **04.02.2023** calling upon the Borrower/Mortgagor, **Mr. Tukadiya Ramesh Kanji, Proprietor, M/s. Drasti Enterprise,** No. 48/51, Bellary Road, Opp Veterinary Hospital,Near CBI Office Ganga Nagar North, RT Nagar, Bengaluru-560007 and the **Guarantor Mrs. Tukadiya Bhavisha Ramesh**, No. 47, 4th Floor, 2nd Cross, Udani Layout, Halasuru, Bengaluru-560008 to repay the amount mentioned in the notice being **Rs. 77,59,255.19** (Rupees Seventy Seven Lakh Fifty Nine Thousand Two Hundred Fifty Five and Paise Nineteen Only) as on 31.01.2023 plus future interest thereon from 01.02.2023 and costs within 60 days from the date of receipt of the said notice. As the said Demand Notice was returned to the Bank as undelivered, we have published the said Demand Notice in Two Newspapers on 24.02.2023 as per the SARFAESI Act'2002 procedures.

The Borrower/ Mortgagor and the Guarantor having failed to repay the amount, notice is hereby given to the Borrower, Guarantor & Mortgagor and the Public in general that the undersigned has taken possession of the property described herein below in exercise of powers conferred on him under Section 13(4) of the said Act read with rule 8 of the Security Interest Enforcement Rules, 2002 on this the **08th May, 2023**.

The borrower's / guarantor's / mortgagor's attention is hereby invited to provisions of sub-section (8) of Section 13 of the Act, in respect of time available to redeem the secured assets.

The Borrower/ Mortgagor and the Guarantor in particular and the Public in general are hereby cautioned not to deal with the property and any dealing with the property will be subject to the charge of Tamilnad Mercantile Bank Ltd., Bangalore Cantonment Branch for **Rs. 80,18,155.19** (Rupees Eighty Lakh Eighteen Thousand One Hundred Fifty Five and Paise Nineteen Only) as on 30.04.2023 with future interest from 01.05.2023 and costs thereon (Less recovery, if any, after 30.04.2023).

DESCRIPTION OF THE PROPERTY : Schedule-I : All that piece and parcel of immovable property bearing BBMP Katha No. 63/2, PID No. 75-32-63/2, situated at Jougupalya, Ward No. 75, Saraswathipuram, 40 Feet Road, Bangalore, totally measuring 21300 sqft, with all rights, appurtenances whatsoever hereunder or underneath or above the surface and bounded on the : **East by :** Property belonged to Sri. Ashok Jain & Property bearing No. 62, **West by :** Property bearing No. 67/2 and Balaji Apartment, **North by :** 40 Feet Road and others property, **South by :** Salarpuria Cambridge Residency.

Schedule-II : Flat beaing No.101, with North Facing, in Block-B, in the First Floor of the Apartment building known as "Sai Cambridge Residency" having super built up area of 1580 sq.ft. containing Three Bed Rooms, including proportionate share in common area such as passages, lobbies, staircase, etc, along with one car parking space, together with 532 sqft; undivided share of the land comprised in Schedule "I" Property.

Note: The above property is also offered as security for the Housing Loan of Rs. 25.00 Lakh (Balance outstanding is Rs. 25,35,487.60 as on 30.04.2023) availed by Mrs. Tukadiya Ramesh Kanji from our Bangalore Cantonment Branch.

Date : 08.05.2023 **Sd/- Authorised Officer,**
Tamilnad Mercantile Bank Ltd.
Bengaluru Region (For Cantonment Branch)

सेन्ट्रल बैंक ऑफ इंडिया Central Bank of India

Regional Office: Second Floor of Grand Majestic Mall, No.12, 2nd Cross, Gandhinagar, Bangalore -560009

PUBLIC AUCTION NOTICE

This is to inform the general public that the parties mentioned below, who deposited their inventory in the following warehouse and borrowed a loan from our bank, has not repaid the same .we wish to inform the creditors and the general public that the inventory of the creditors will be sold at a public auction in the following manner to recover the amounts due to

Sr. No	Name of Depositors	Account No	WHR NO	Commodity	No. of bags	Reserve price	Bid increment amount	WT IN QTL	Loan Amount Sanctioned	Closure Balance as on 20.05.2023
1.	Mr. Nganingkhul Shimrah	5245044680	WHR/3	CASHEW NUT PODS	373	24,50,000/-	10,000/-	245	21,49,000/-	22,26,388/-
2.	Mr. Nganingkhul Shimrah	5254955954	WHR/37	CASHEW NUT PODS	373	40,00,000/-	10,000/-	400	35,00,000/-	36,29,777/-

Address of the Borrowers : C/o. Raveendra, Opp. To Sugar Factory, B H Road, Gauribidanur. **Name & Address of the Gaurantors : 1) Mr. Uma Shankar M**, # 72, 2nd Cross, Thirumalasettihalli, Hosakote, Bengaluru Rural- 560067. **2) Mr. Gangappa S.** 87, Alkapur, Gowribidanur Taluka, Chikkabalapur District - 561208. **Address of the Warehouse :** Karnataka State Ware House, Doddaballapur-Unit-2. **Date of Auction : 20-05-2023 Time: 11.00 Am**

Interested Buyers Are Requested To Participate In The Bid On The Date At The Time And The Place Mentioned Above. The Stock Shall Be Sold To The Highest Bidder/Buyer. Verification Of Assets Can Be Made Till The Date 19-05-2023 Up To 2-30 P.m.

Terms And Conditions of the Auction : 1) Assets shall be auctioned: "As is where is", "As is what is" and "Whatever there is" Condition. **2)** Interested bidders shall submit a **EMD of Rs. 25,000/-** per bid either in cash or in the form of a D.D. payable in the name of Central Bank of India. **3)** Successful bidders should pay the amount in full either in cash or in the form of a D.D. within 3 days of auction. 4) Successful bidders shall pay sales Tax/APMC fees and all other legal/casual expenses. **5)** The Bank shall reserve the right to forfeit the Earnest Money Deposited if the bidder has failed to meet any of the terms and conditions of the bid. **6)** The Bank shall reserve the right to accept or reject/ postpone or cancel the bid without citing any reason.
For more Details Interested bidders shall contact : Shri Pramod .K .N, Branch Manager, Tel. No. 9964075374

Date : 10-05-2023 **Sd/- Chief Manager & Authorised officer**
Place : Alkapur **Central Bank of India**

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दूरभाष **Telephone: 91 - 44 - 24437447, 24437193, 24437257, 24437162** ई–मेल **Email :spo@clri.res.in**

No.28(01)/2023/Pur Date: 08.05.2023

Expression of Interest (EOI) TENDER NOTICE (www.etenders.gov.in)

Director, CSIR - Central Leather Research Institute, Adyar, Chennai - 600 020, INDIA, (CLRI) invites expression of interest by encrypted bids on **www.etenders.gov.in** from Original Equipment Manufacturers, Authorized distributors of Original Equipment manufacturer, Authorized integrator for procurement and installation of items listed below. The tender is open only for local suppliers in terms of **Make in India, Order No. P-45021/2/2017-PP (BE-II) dt 16th September, 2020**.

Sl.No.	Tender No.	Description of items	Single / Double bid
01.	28(01) / 2023 / Pur / T-01	SUPPLY AND INSTALLATION OF CCTV SURVEILLANCE SYSTEM AND IMPLEMENTATION OF BACKBONE DATA NETWORK	Single Bid

Tender Closing Date: 22nd June, 2023 at 3.00 P.M.(IST)
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All Interested bidders are requested to attend the pre-bid conference **on 7th June, 2023, at 11.00 a.m in CLRI Campus**. Modification if any in the Tender Document after the Pre-Bid Conference would be hosted on **www.etenders.gov.in only**.

The E-Tender document can be downloaded from **www.etenders.gov.in. Tenders should be submitted through e-procurement portal as above**.

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Whereas, The undersigned being the Authorized Officer of **M/s. IndoStar Capital Finance Limited,** under the Securitization and Reconstruction of Financial Assets and Enforcement of Security Interest [Act, 2002 (54 of 2002)] and in exercise of powers conferred under section 13(12) read with [Rule 3] of the Security Interest (Enforcement) Rules 2002, issued a Demand Notice calling upon the below mentioned Borrowers to repay the amount mentioned in the notice within 60 days from the date of receipt of the said notice.

The Borrowers having failed to repay the amount, notice is hereby given to the Borrowers and the public in general that the undersigned has taken possession of the property described herein below in exercise of powers conferred on him under Sub-Section (4) of Section 13 of the said Act read with Rule 8 of the Security interest Enforcement Rules, 2002 on this 8th day of May of the year 2023. **Symbolic possession** of the property on **8th day of May of the year 2023.**

The Borrowers in particular and the public in general are hereby cautioned not to deal with the property and any dealings with the property will be subject to the charge of **M/s. IndoStar Capital Finance Limited**, for an amount mentioned below and interest thereon. The Borrower's attention is invited to provisions of Sub –Section (8) of Section 13 of the Act, in respect of time available, to redeem the secured assets.

Name of the Borrower / Co-Borrower & Address and Loan account no	Description of the Security	Notice Date & Amount ($) Demanded
Borrower - 1. M/s. Mass Marketing Corporation No.50/24, 2nd Cross, Lorry Stand Godown, Yeshwanthpur, Bangalore -560022. Co - Borrower - 2. Mrs. Munira Amin Pujani Clover Solace 42/1, Hutchins Main Road, Next to Axis Bank ATM, Bangalore North, St.Thomas Town Bangalore - 560084. 3. Mrs. Munira Amin Pujani No.50/24, 2nd Cross, Lorry Stand Godown, Yeshwanthpur, Bangalore -560022. 4. Mrs. Munira Amin Pujani Site No. 35, 6th Cross, Hutchins Road, St.Thomas Town, Ulsoor, Bangalore – 560084. Co - Borrower - 5. Mr. Amin Mohamadali Pujani Clover Solace 42/1, Hutchins Main Road, Next to Axis Bank ATM, Bangalore North, St.Thomas Town Bangalore - 560084. 6. Mr. Amin Mohamadali Pujani No.50/24, 2nd Cross, Lorry Stand Godown, Yeshwanthpur, Bangalore -560022 7. Mr. Amin Mohamadali Pujani Site No. 35, 6th Cross, Hutchins Road, St.Thomas Town, Ulsoor, Bangalore – 560084.	**DESCRIPTION OF THE PROPERTY – 1 All that piece and parcel of property bearing No.13/B also known as 13/3 bearing Old PID No.86-11-13/3 having New PID No.059-W0114-3, situated at VIth Cross, Hutchins Road, St.Thomas Town, Bangalore, Presently Comes under the jurisdiction of BBMP, and bounded on: East By : Premises No.13/A Hutchins Road, 6th Cross West By : Premises No.14 North By : 30feet Road, VIth Cross Hutchins Road, South By : Premises No.1 Hutchins Road, 5th Cross Measuring East to West : 44+42/2ft and North to South : 47ft**	**27th Jan 2023 Rs. 1,13,68,393/- (Rupees One Crore Thirteen Lakhs Sixty Eight Thousand Three Hundred & Ninety Three Only) Loan Account no – LSBGL00116-170000574**

Place: Bengaluru Sd/- Authorised Officer
Date : 10.05.2023. M/s. IndoStar Capital Finance Limited

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Date : 10.05.2023 DIPR/478/DISPLAY/2023

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DAY'S DIARY

Tallest building

As the final piece of the spire for the One World Trade Center was hoisted into place, it became the tallest in the western hemisphere on May 10, 2013

THE ARCHITECT

The huge piece, measuring 408 feet, was craned slowly up, completing the final piece in the new jewel of the Manhattan skyline. David Magie Child was the architect of the building

THE DESIGN

It has entrances on all four sides. The tower ascends 69 stories, its edges forming an octagon at centre. It culminates in a glass parapet at the crown

A DEBATE

A debate over whether the 408 ft steel structure on top of the New York skyscraper was a spire or an antenna ensued, but the 'height commitee' ruled it out

Check out the events happening in the city

PG 2

While films have always had the possibility to be propaganda, that's never the case with good films. Good cinema will always lead to social change. If a film makes you want to hate a community, that's not good cinema

KM Chaitanya, filmmaker

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Abhishek Iyengar, filmmaker

When you claim that tens of thousands of women are being affected by a particular issue in the movie, but bring it down to less than 10 when questioned by the courts, you realise that the entire thing is based on lies and exaggeration

Sumana Kittur, filmmaker

Still from the movie

The controversial movie *The Kerala Story* has created a deep divide amongst audiences and political parties alike. City-based filmmakers weigh in on the debate and talk about the ethics and responsibilities involved in filmmaking

SKETCHY NARRATIVES

DESE GOWDA

SINCE its release on April 5, *The Kerala Story*, by former film critic-turned filmmaker Sudipto Sen has set off a contentious debate about the plot and figures that it portrays as authentic. Marketed to be based on real-life events, the movie follows three women from Kerala who are forced to undergo religious conversion and sent to serve the terrorist group the Islamic State of Iraq and Syria (ISIS).

The movie has been widely criticised on social media as mere propaganda and has been banned in West Bengal. At the same time, it has received tax-free status in Uttar Pradesh and Madhya Pradesh.

City-based filmmaker KM Chaitanya is against any kind of censorship, but says that a movie made solely to please the 'current dispensation' sets a very unhealthy precedent. "While films have always had the possibility to be propaganda, that's never the case with good movies. Good cinema will always lead to social change, but it is always positive – they inspire us to be better human beings. A prime example is the Kannada film *Bangarada Manushya*. It inspired a lot of highly educated graduates to go back to their villages and take up farming," he says adding, "If a movie makes you want to hate a particular community, or a fellow citizen, that's not good cinema."

Meanwhile, filmmaker Shruthi Raju believes that films that hope to tackle serious issues can often end up undermining those issues with bad treatment and lack of research. "Social engineering is an unfortunate reality these days. It's a very serious issue. However, I'm not sure of the process with which this moviewas made – how authentic the events it claims to portray are," she says.

Raju believes that filmmaking is a powerful medium that often reflects the social fabric. Hence, filmmakers should strive to be as authentic as possible while undertaking projects based on real events. "They should be thorough with their research and most importantly, they should not undermine their audience," she adds.

Filmmaker and thespian Abhishek Iyengar believes the decision to ban the movie is immature and hypocritical, since the film clearly says that it is a work of fiction. "Before the film begins, the disclaimer makes it clear that it is a work of fiction. In my view, no movie or work of art deserves to be banned solely because of a political viewpoint. It's ironic that the same people who were critical of bans on Aamir Khan's films a few years ago are calling for a ban on this film. Every filmmaker has the right to make films in their own way," he adds.

Filmmaker Sumana Kittur believes that *The Kerala Story* is the latest movie in the widespread phenomenon towards historical revisionism that the country is witnessing across various mediums. "Audiences should take a moment to think of the lies that are being pushed. When you claim that tens of thousands of women are being affected by a particular issue in the movie, but bring it down to less than 10 when questioned by the courts, you realise that the entire thing is based on lies and exaggeration," she says adding that such narratives only serve to create a communally charged environment.

KNOW YOUR CITY

Arun Prasad, city-based history researcher, unravels interesting facts about Bengaluru in this weekly quiz series. So it's time for you to find out how familiar you are with the city, beyond its heritage buildings, IT parks and the pub culture.

THE QUIZ WILL BE PUBLISHED EVERY WEDNESDAY

Send answers to **bengalurucityexpress@gmail.com** with the subject line **'Know Your City Quiz'**

Correct answers and names of first three respondents with right answers will be featured in *CE*.

1. Doddapete is one of the earliest streets laid out by Kempegowda in 1537 which formed the nucleus of the city's trade activities since then. The street stood as a significant site during the 3rd Anglo-Mysore war in 1791 after which Bangalore was captured by the British army headed by Lord Cornwallis. The street also houses some of the historic landmarks like the Ranganathaswamy temple and the Rice memorial church. What is this iconic street today known as?

2. Bengaluru has an iconic road named after Dr Bhimrao Ambedkar, chief architect of the Indian Constitution. The road houses two heritage landmarks facing each other on either sides, one the British structure Attara Kacheri (today houses Karnataka High Court) built in 1868 and the other being Indian (exquisite Dravidian architecture) imposing structure built in 1956. Name the iconic building.

3. Most of the Indian cities including Bengaluru has a road named after Mahatma Gandhi. The iconic road once housed the charming boulevard, stretches between the Queen Victoria statue to the Holy Trinity church on the other end has sadly lost its historical legacy to modernisation. What was the road known earlier during the British times?

DIVING DEEP

This German photographer will be holding a photo exhibition in the city from May 13

EXPRESS FEATURES

THE diversity of cultures and religions, the colonial domination, the international cultural relationships as well as the extreme social contrasts. All these will be explored at the exhibition-cum-workshop titled 'India Tecton' by German photographer Nicolaus Schmidt to be held at the Museum of Art and Photography (MAP) on May 13. This is being held in collaboration with the Goethe-Institut / Max Mueller Bhavan Bangalore.

India Tecton is also a book written by Schmidt and is his second work on India. Schmidt says, "The title *Tecton* derives from the Greek word 'architektonía'. This project is about all the patterns and structures of Indian architecture. They reflect the diversity of cultures and religions in India over a period of about 2,000 years. I took the first pictures shown in this book in 2011 on my third day in India when I visited Karla Caves in Maharashtra on my way to Pune. The photos of the Stupa and the 1,700 years old teak beams under the ceiling are just magic."

The book was published and the works were also exhibited at the India International Centre (IIC), New Delhi in November last year. " I took the photographs on four longer travels through many parts of India. With the trip in 2020, focused on modern architecture, I could complete this project. I was very lucky to meet the great architect Balkrishna Doshi at his home in Ahmedabad," he says.

However, his first book *India Women* was published in 2015 and his exhibition titled 'Diversity and Strength – Photographs of Women in India' was held at the IIC in New Delhi. " This project was taken during my first visit to India in 2011. The result of the travel was the idea to make a photo project about women in India. In spite of all the progress – women as CEOs, women in science and media – the situation of women in the countryside and the poorer parts of the cities still seems to be very difficult," shares Schmidt, the photographer-cum-author.

Shubha Chacko, creator of Pride Café, the city's first eatery with queer-centric employment, speaks on the café and its motive

Made with Pride

TUNIR BISWAS

BENGALURU is home to an inclusive eatery in the city with queer-centric employment in focus. Launched on January 9, Pride Café is a moving food joint, a food truck venture, run by members of the LGBTQIA+ community. City's Shubha Chacko, the executive director of the Solidarity Foundation, who birthed the idea for the café, feels a major reason for the initiative was to change the perceptions about the LGBTQIA+ community.

"In our society, the community has a bit of a negative perception, which isn't correct. Some perceive them as aggressive and not contributors to society. We wanted to change that and bring some positive visibility. The café also helps open livelihood opportunities for many members of the community and lets them be in a space where they weren't seen before," says Chacko. The cafe is run by Solidarity Foundation alongside companies Amadeus and WeWork. It was inaugurated by renowned thespian Arundathi Nag and Alex Mathew, a city-based drag queen.

As of now, the food truck has been faring well in its business. "It's actually got good reception. We are planning to look at two other venues. Initially, we also thought we'll move around and that's why we got a truck. But we also had plans of having it stationary in a particular place like Cubbon Park, for example. But then there was a fear of harassment and that would have defeated the whole purpose, which was to provide the employees with a dignified working space," she says. She adds that the expansion plans are expected to come to fruition by June this year. The food truck now operates at WeWork Galaxy on Residency Road.

While the venture is always open to hiring members of the LGBTQIA+ community, they also have professional chefs who assist the employees. "A big reason why the food truck opened was because we discovered that many from the community are interested in cooking. But a big challenge was to learn how to cook in a professional setting. It is very different from cooking for family and friends. So, we have chefs who help them get up to speed with the process. We also have a varied menu comprising of multiple cuisines, so the chefs were a great help there as well," Chacko explains.

To ensure that the mental health of the employees is taken care of, they are also in contact with a support system. "We have many people coming in as peer supporters. We've also linked to professional counsellors who are community-friendly. And this is a subset of the training that we did with them. We did sessions around emotions at the workplace and are also planning to continue doing those sessions regularly on Saturdays alongside some English classes," she concludes. The food truck doesn't operate on Saturday and Sunday due to less footfall but according to some reports, they have been travelling across the city (instead of usually working out of co-working spaces) on weekends in an attempt to expand.

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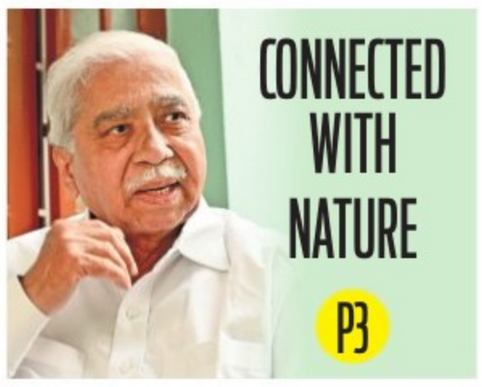
Shubha Chacko, founder of Pride Café



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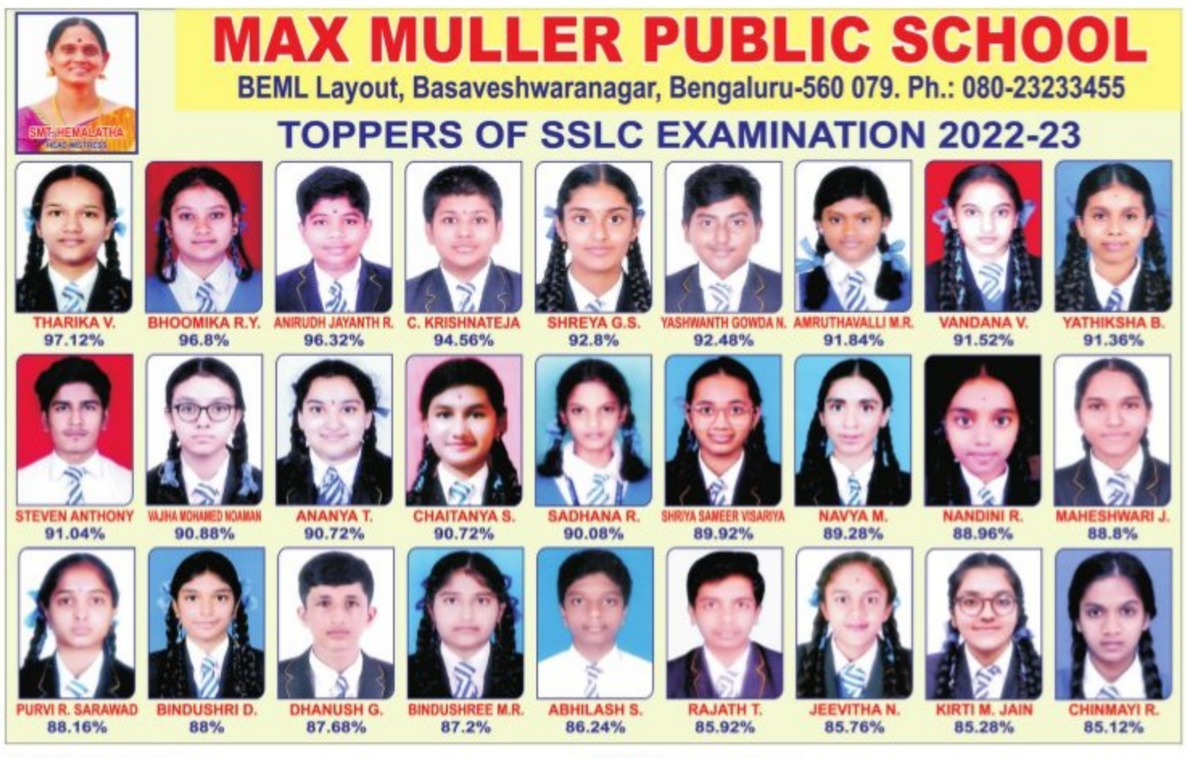

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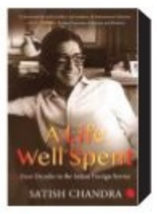
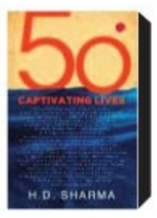


A Life Well Spent
Satish Chandra

The book transports the reader on a journey through the author's career tracing his progression from an IFS probationer to Deputy National Security Advisor. In the process, it provides valuable insights into the and work of an IFS officer.

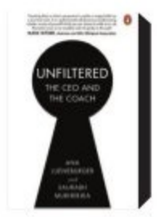


50 Captivating Lives
H.D. Sharma

This is a well-documented set of a hundred short biographies of people who have left their footprints in the sands of Indian history in different ways. Several British people who spent a major part of their adult lives in India and contributed in a major way to the country are also included.

Customer in the Boardroom
Rama Bijapurkar, Rama Bijapurkar

The book highlights the need for companies to embed customer centricity into the heart of their business strategy development process, if they are to continue to grow profitably and secure their future.



Unfiltered The CEO and the Coach
Ana Lueneburger, Saurabh Mukherjea

It opens the doors that normally shield the confidential world of coaching conversations, helping readers grasp the impact coaching can have.

WHAT WHEN WHY WHERE

Earthy Crafts

Interested in art? Are you curious about pottery? Go for this pottery workshop and learn how to give shape to a lump of mud in the delicate art of pottery.

When: May 10, 5pm
Where: Lahe Lahe, Kodihalli
Details: bookmyshow.com

Risque Gags

Are you into dark or gallows humour? If you are, then go for this stand-up comedy show which calls itself an 'uncensored comedy night' and find humour in stranger places.

When: May 10, 8:30pm
Where: Marcopolo Cafe, Koramangala
Details: bookmyshow.com

Shutter Bug

If you have always wanted to improve your hand at photography, attend this photography workshop where they will take you through the basics of handling a camera.

When: May 10, 9:30am and 9:30pm
Where: Zoom (Online)
Details: bookmyshow.com

Painted Worlds

Who says painting can only be done on canvasses? If you are interested in art and are a beginner, this class might be perfect for you. Go for this workshop to learn coaster painting and colour the world with your brush.

When: May 10, 6pm, **Where:** Art Beat, HSR Layout
Details: bookmyshow.com

Fun for Kids

Take your children to this toy-building workshop where they will get to venture into the deepest corners of their imagination and create it into reality with blocks. For kids aged 3-15.

When: May 10, multiple timings
Where: Troy Block Center, Indiranagar
Details: bookmyshow.com

Code Show

Attend this digital workshop and learn the basics of website designing, CSS, JavaScript and digital marketing, among many others. Take your first step into the tech world.

When: May 10, 12pm and 6pm
Where: Zoom (Online)
Details: bookmyshow.com

Comedy Night

Take your friends and go for this stand-up comedy mic where local comedians make you laugh and get you a mid-week high with their hilarious bits.

When: May 10, 8:30pm
Where: Glens BakeHouse, Koramangala
Details: bookmyshow.com

TIME TO VOTE

A young girl spreading awareness on exercising your right to vote at Sea Tunnel Aquarium Show near Binny Mill Ground

QUICK FIX

SPICY CHICKEN FRY

Contributed by **Bhim Singh Shekhawat,** Ghaziabad

INGREDIENTS

- **Chicken:** 500 g
- **Coriander powder:** 1 tbsp
- **Chilli powder:** 2 tbsp
- **Ginger-garlic paste:** 2 tbsp
- **Chopped curry leaves:** 4 tsp
- **Garam masala:** 1 tbsp
- **Curd:** 5 tbsp
- **Salt:** to taste
- **Turmeric powder:** 4 tsp

METHOD

- Wash and clean the chicken and set on a kitchen roll sheet to dry.
- Marinate it with the dry ingredients for 30 minutes. Then add the curd and the ginger garlic paste, mix well and set aside for 30 more minutes.
- Add some oil to a pan and heat till the oil is almost smoking.
- Fry on high heat for a minute and then fry on medium heat for another 5 minutes. Perfect to serve as a starter.

What's cooking in your kitchen?

We are hungry for recipes with minimum ingredients and maximum flavours. Share your quick-fix with us, along with step-by-step photos, at bengalurucityexpress@gmail.com

FIT BIT

LAGHU VAJRASANA GRABBING KNEES
(LITTLE THUNDERBOLT POSE GRABBING KNEES)

This asana expresses strength, power and balance. It is often incorporated as an intense backbend. As the pose opens and expands the chest and throat, it allows deep, clarifying breaths that can improve focus. Aids in opening Visuddha (throat) Chakra.

STEPS

- Start by kneeling down on the mat.
- Make sure that your thighs are perpendicular to the floor.
- Form the camel pose, lifting your chest to lengthen your spine and move back.
- After that, grab on to the knees. Try to frop your head back.
- While slowly dropping your head back, lower your crown off the floor.
- Form the backbend that looks like an arch.
- At the same time keep your arms straight and hold your knees.
- Stay in this position for 3 to 6 breaths.
- Take deep breaths and focus in between your eyebrows.
- Exit the pose by drawing yourself back to kneel down.
- You can repeat the pose three to five times for achieving better results.

BENEFITS

- Opens and widens the throat, quadriceps and chest.
- Helps in stretching the spine and back.
- This asana improves the digestion process.
- Strengthens the chest and shoulders.
- Gives good stretches to thighs and back.
- Increases the flexibility in the spine and the whole body. Tones pelvic organs, limbs and thighs.
- Provides strength to the abdominal region.
- Increases the oxygen intake, and cures breathing-related problems.
- Increases the process of the digestive system.
- Spiritually, it is associated with the Ajna (third eye) Chakra that is the center of insight, intuition and intellect.
- To warm up for this pose, it is best to do Sun Salutations and poses that open the hips and chest.

LIMITATIONS

People who have spine problems, back or neck injuries can avoid this asana or practise under the guidance of an expert.

Beginners, don't practise without proper guidance.

Women during pregnancy should avoid practising this asana.

Avoid this, if you are suffering from high blood pressure.

By N Elumalai, PhD scholar (Yoga Science) at Meenakshi Academy of Higher Education & Research, Chennai

NOW STREAMING

REGIONAL

HAPPY FAMILY CONDITIONS APPLY (Hindi, series)

A light-hearted, family comedy which follows the lives of Dholakias, a joint-family comprising of four generations living together in Mumbai.

Cast: Ratna Pathak Shah, Raj Babbar, Atul Kulkarni and Ayesha Jhulka

- **Watch on:** Amazon Prime Video

DASARA (Telugu)

Amid the daily grind in a coal mining town, politics and power dynamics take a dangerous toll on a love triangle between three longtime friends.

Cast: Nani, Keerthy Suresh, Shine Tom Chacko

- **Watch on:** Netflix

BAKASURAN (Malayalam)

A man investigates a disturbing ring of young escorts, cyber harassment and suicide. He knows the importance of parents being aware of their children's problems.

Cast: Selvaraghavan, Natarajan Subramaniam, Radha Ravi

- **Watch on:** Amazon Prime Video

OH MY DARLING (Malayalam)

Love has many faces, but Joel and Jenny love with earnestness, but when their love is tested in the fire of adversity, it has to overcome that. When reality is not what it appears to be, can love survive?

Cast: Anikha Surendran, Melvin G Babu, Mukesh

- **Watch on:** Amazon Prime Video

YAAR MERA TITLIAAN WARGA (Punjabi)

A story of a couple who, after 6 years of marriage, are bored from each other. To spice things up, both of them open fake Facebook accounts. But things go sideways when, accidentally, they befriend each other on FB. This "Comedy of Errors" take them on a humorous as well as emotional ride.

Cast: Gippy Grewal, Tanu Grewal, Karamjit Anmol

- **Watch on:** Amazon Prime Video

All the streaming apps can be accessed on smartphones and smart TVs with Internet connection.

FARAAZ (Hindi)

A terrifying hostage crisis unfolds over one fateful night in 2016 when heavily armed militants attack a popular cafe in Dhaka. Based on true events.

Cast: Zahan Kapoor, Juhi Babbar, Aditya Rawal

- **Watch on:** Netflix

VELLARI PATTANAM (Malayalam)

KP Suresh contests againt KP Sunanda in the Panchayath elections as Peethambaran retires voluntarily from power. Alex Vettukala is a political rival to Peethambaran who now has personal animosity when Suresh involves romantically with Alex's daughter. The story advance into an interesting climax with seamlessly weaved moments of wit and political satire.

Cast: Manju Warrier, Soubin Shahir, Salim Kumar

- **Watch on:** Amazon Prime Video

FOREIGN

THE LAST KINGDOM: SEVEN KINGS MUST DIE (English)

In the wake of King Edward's death, Uhtred of Bebbanburg and his comrades adventure across a fractured kingdom in the hopes of uniting England at last.

Cast: Alexander Dreymon, Harry Gilby, Mark Rowley

- **Watch on:** Netflix

TÁR (English)

The film examines the changing nature of power, its impact and durability in our modern world.

Cast: Cate Blanchett, Noémie Merlant, Nina Hoss

- **Watch on:** Amazon Prime Video

KNOCK AT THE CABIN (English)

A family vacation goes off track when a group of armed strangers intrudes on Wen and her parents' stay at a secluded wooden cabin. They are asked to make a sacrifice to avert an imminent apocalypse.

Cast: Dave Bautista, Jonathan Groff, Ben Aldridge, Nikki Amuka-Bird, Rupert Grint

- **Watch on:** ZEE5

ONE MORE TIME (Swedish)

On her 40th birthday, Amelia makes a fateful wish to be 18 again back in 2002 but soon regrets it when she's stuck reliving the day over and over again.

Cast: Hedda Stiernstedt, Maxwell Cunningham, Elinor Silfversparre

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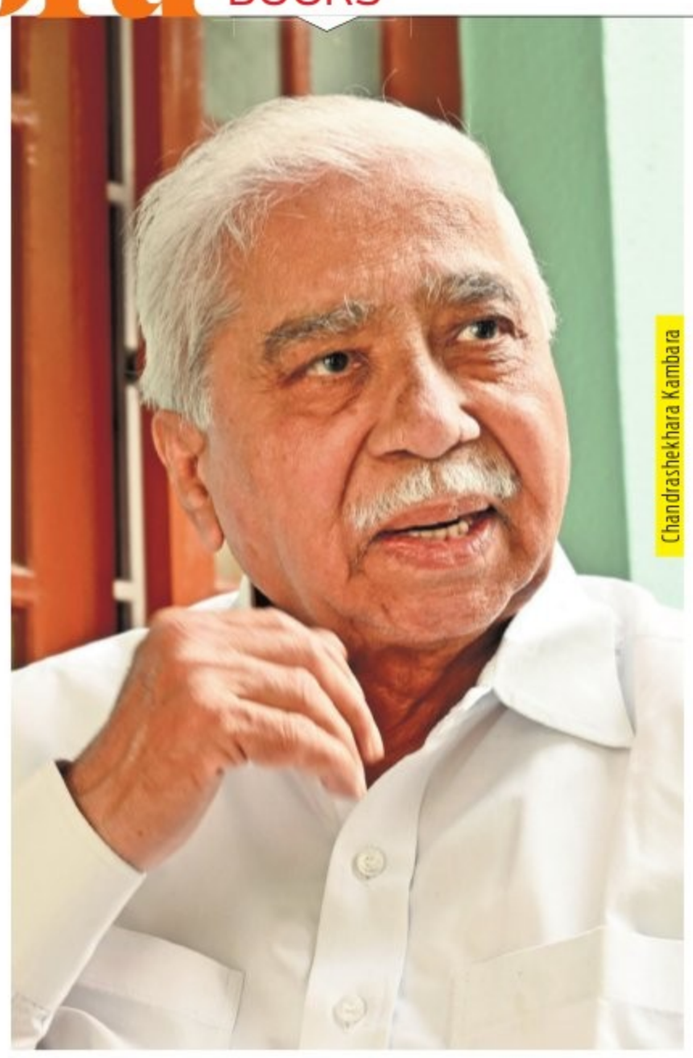
CONNECTED WITH NATURE

This English translation of a short story collection by Chandrashekhara Kambara presents the poet's rich folk sensibility to a new generation of readers


Chandrashekhara Kambara

DESE GOWDA

AT a time when humanity is increasingly disconnected with nature even as the threat of climate change looms large, *When the Wind God Fell Sick and Other Folk Tales* (Rupa Publications; ₹250) is a refreshing reminder of the importance of preserving the environment. An English translation of Jnanpith awardee Chandrashekhara Kambara's collection of short stories *Marave Marmarave*, by literary critic and translator Krishna Manavalli, the book explores themes of environmental conservation and sustainability.

The eponymous story, *When the Wind God Fell Sick*, tells the tale of a god who falls ill due to the destruction of the forests. This story, along with others like *Gullava and the Lord of Rain*, highlights the consequences of human actions on the environment and the need to take responsibility for our actions.

"Kambara's works have always been very aware of global issues and have always explored them through folk imagination and wisdom," says Manavalli, adding "These stories not only express a strong concern for preserving the environment but also the value of living among people, empathising with others and a sense of being connected with the inanimate."

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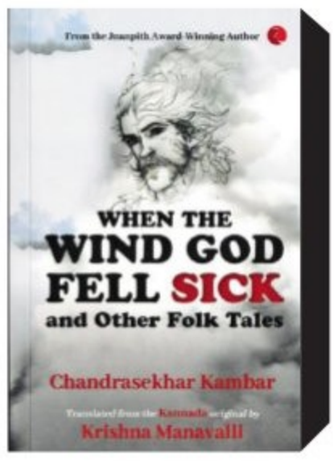
— Krishna Manavalli, literary critic and translator

Manavalli's translation also captures the essence of the folk culture, with its rich idioms and cultural references. "Folk idioms are very difficult to translate, but for me it was an exhilarating challenge. I'm also a musician and I feel that translation and music are connected. When you want to sing a raga correctly and creatively, you really need to soak it up and practise it for a long time. Translation is similar, in the sense that you really need to understand the nuances of the source material you're translating from," shares Manavalli, who grew up in Bengaluru.

With the translation, Manavalli hopes to present Kambara's works to a global audience, primarily young adults and children, believing that the book is particularly relevant in today's time amidst the battle against the climate crisis.


From the Jnanpith Award-Winning Author
WHEN THE WIND GOD FELL SICK
and Other Folk Tales
Chandrasekhar Kambar
Translated from the Kannada original by
Krishna Manavalli

"There is a message in almost all these stories about the world we live in. And then it also makes us much more sensitive to living in a society. I think children and young adults can relate to that very easily, apart from enjoying all these fascinating stories that come from very diverse locations," she concludes.

"The Bad, Mad World of Ads"

HRIDAY RANJAN
Urban Bourbon
(Writer, comedian)

SUMMER has always been the prime season for advertising in India. Schools are closed, and children can be sold sugar in innumerable ways by companies. Summer also brings with it products that can be peddled to a gullible middle-class. The Indian Premier League (IPL) has taken over Indian summers like a hydra-headed monster, with cricketers selling everything from petrol products to glorified betting apps and gutkha products. Much of it is surrogate advertising, and there is nothing subtle about it. For example, if I were to advertise that I am performing a standup show in Bengaluru this weekend, I would connect it to a gutkha product and make it about pride and achievement.

Advertising is a field I feel a personal connection with. I began my career as a teenager and mostly worked in BPO jobs. My first real job was as a copywriter in an ad agency. I found out that I was good with words and could twist them to sell products. But over the years, I have become disillusioned with the industry. As someone who has been in the industry for a while, I have seen the evolution of advertising in India. Doordarshan ads from the early 90s were a big influence on me. They were all written like mini-plays, with a woman going out to buy a product and getting solid advice from the shopkeeper. Colour TVs had just made an appearance, and the country was dipping its toes gingerly into the capitalist joys of Coca Cola and Cadbury's. The 2000s were in my opinion, the best decade for Indian advertising, with Indian agencies sweeping the awards internationally. The ads tapped into an India that was now confident in its purchasing power. While veterans like Fevicol were still making funny ads, younger ads like the Hutch dog followed you everywhere, and Zoo-zoos entertained us for years! Since television was the only mass medium for advertising, an ad for 3G video conferencing would be followed by an ad for itches and scratches near the base of the kundalini!

Since then, advertising has become rather redundant. TVs, OTTs and mobile apps cater to different classes of the market. Ads on OTTs are all either for fintech services that nobody asked for, or delivery of food/medicines/groceries at your doorstep. And of course, the innumerable sly gutkha ads. Surprisingly, gutkha ads have mushroomed as our country has developed. Economists should do research on the correlation between gutkha companies and India's GDP.

I miss the time when ads were created to generate a giggle and gently coax you into buying their product. There are no funny ads anymore. They are all smug, self-aware, or tone-deaf. For example, if I were to advertise that I have a show this weekend in Bengaluru, I wouldn't say it out directly, but in a subtle, roundabout manner. Advertising, unfortunately, has dipped in quality. Ads can now be found everywhere - TVs, computers, phones, and tablets. In such times, one needs to think of new ways to advertise. To think out of the box. Like trying to plug a show in a newspaper column! And just like an annoying, unskippable ad on YouTube, allow me to reiterate that I am performing standup comedy shows in Bengaluru this weekend...

(The writer's views are his own)

EXPRESS ILLUSTRATION

NUGGETS

Acclaimed Bengali writer Samaresh Majumdar passes away

Sahitya Akademi Award winning Bengali writer Samreash Majumdar (81) passed away in Kolkata on Monday. He breathed his last at 6.30 pm at a private hospital in Kolkata where he was under treatment for some time now. Majumdar is widely remembered for his trilogy – *Uttaradhikar*, *Kalbela* and *Kalpurush* – encircling the story of three generations in the backdrop of the Naxalite movement in West Bengal. He was also quite popular among the younger readers, especially for his creation of the character of Arjun, a detective in the prime of his youth. His novel *Dour* had an excellent portrayal of a different life in Kolkata encircling around the race-course of the city. Majumdar spent his childhood in the tea gardens of Dooars region, a reason why North Bengal has a predominant place in many of the novels. He completed his degree in Bengali literature from the Scottish Church College in Kolkata before completing his masters from the Calcutta University. He was associated with a leading publishing house in Kolkata for a long time. **—IANS**

Three books of the series *Shimla Investigators* released

Minakshi Chaudhry, celebrated author of over 20 books, including the bestselling *Ghost Stories of Shimla Hills*, has penned a new series of books for children and young adults. First three books of the series titled *Shimla Investigators* were released in Shimla on Sunday. "I am happy that the books were released by children who love to read. I am sure the series will be liked by the young and the old alike," Minakshi told IANS. All three books, namely *Murder on the Bicycle Trail*, *Scandal at Scandal Point* and *A Treacherous Beauty Pageant* are based on Shimla. **—IANS**

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CHANGE OF NAME

CHANGE OF NAME
I, **Bangalore Gangamaraiah Channaiah (Old Name)**, Resident of No. 158, Manjunath Road, Thyagaraj Nagar, Bangalore South, Bangalore-28, hereby declare that I have changed my name from Bangalore Gangamaraiah Channaiah (OLD NAME) to **BYADRAHALLI GANGAMARAIAH CHANNAIAH (NEW NAME)**. Sworn before the Notary & Advocate **Sri Hegde Ganapati Venkatraman** on 09.05.2023.

CHANGE OF NAME
I, **VEENA NEERAJ AMEMBAL** W/o Neeraj Nihar Amembal, aged 45 years, R/at No. F6, B Block, Shivaganga Silverline Apartments, BCMC Layout, Opp KSIT College, Raghuvanahalli, Talaghatapura, Bengaluru-560062, do hereby declare that all the names i.e., **VEENA, VEENA TRIKANNAD, TRIKANNAD VEENA BABURAO** and **VEENA NEERAJ AMEMBAL** are one and the same and belongs to me only, vide affidavit dated 03-05-2023, sworn before Advocate and Notary **T.C. THIMMARAJA** at Bangalore.

CHANGE OF NAME
I, **RUDRESH MARISWAMY,** Adult, R/o No. 132, Bellikere Village, Muthasandra Post, Bengaluru-560 087, Karnataka do hereby declare that I have changed my name from **RUDRESHA MARISWAMY** to **RUDRESH MARISWAMY**, henceforth I shall be known and called as **RUDRESH MARISWAMY** only for all purposes, vide affidavit dated 9th May 2023, sworn before Advocate and Notary **V. RAJASHEKHARA** at Bangalore.

CHANGE OF NAME
I, **SACHIN**, son of Gandhi Ningappa resident of T M Q 135/4, Air Force Station, Jalahalli West, Bengaluru North – 560015, have changed my name from **SACHIN** to **SACHIN G NINGAPPA**, vide Affidavit Dated 30-03-2023 Before Advocate and Notary **KUNDAN BABU**, Reg No. 20463 Bangalore Karnataka.

CHANGE OF NAME
We, **BENJAMIN REDDY JOSEPH** (Father) and **ANTHONY INDIRA JOSEPH**, R/at No.20, 2nd Cross, Sanjeev Reddy Street, Narayanappa Layout, Subbayanapalya, Bengaluru-560033, have changed our minor daughter's name from **JASMINE JOSEPH** to **JASMINE JOSEPH BENJAMIN** vide affidavit dated: 8/5/2023 Before Notary **Puttaramaiah** Bangalore.

CHANGE OF NAME
I, **NAZEER AHMED ABDUL** S/o **Abdul Mazeed** R/at No. 1430, Jyothi Nagar, Reddy Palya, Bengaluru- 560017, have changed my name to **NAZEER AHMED** vide affidavit dated: 9/5/2023 Before Notary **A. Idinabba,** Bengaluru

CHANGE OF NAME
I, **(OLD NAME) JOISY RENCHU** Spouse of NO 15319780W HAV RENCHU.B Residing at Punnttu Nelam Vila (House Name), Malila (Vill), Chengamanadu (Post), Kottarakkara (Taluk), Kollam (Dist), KERALA (State), PIN: 691557, Have Changed My Name to **(NEW NAME) JOISY ELIZABETH JOHN** Vide Affidavit Dated 06.05.2023 Sworn Before Notary MEER HASSAN BANGALORE.

CHANGE OF NAME
We, **LAKSHMIKANTHA .H**, S/o Late Hanumantharayappa, aged about 40 years and VEDAKUMARI .T.R W/o Lakshmikantha .H, aged about 32 years, both are R/ofKattinagenahalli Village, Sompura Post, Koratagere Taluk, Tumkur District, now at Bangalore, do hereby declare that I have changed my son's name from **VISHODHANA .K.L** to **VINAY .K.L,** henceforth he shall be known and called as **VINAY .K.L** only, vide affidavit dated 09-05-2023,sworn before Advocate and Notary **KODI NAGAPPAYA** at Bangalore.

CHANGE OF NAME
I, **SRIDEVI YUVARAJ**
W/o Yuvaraj Gopalan and D/o Selvaraj, Date of birth 19.06.1985, residing at Villa Number H2, Kristal Campus 10, Coral 3, Sarjapura Road, Yamare, Bangaluru-562125, Karnataka, shall henceforth be known as **SRIDEVI SELVARAJ.**
Sridevi Yuvaraj

CHANGE OF NAME
I, ABBAS KATTE PUNI, D.O.B: 01.06.1972, S/o. Mahammad, Residing at No. 4-102(A), Balepuni, Ira, Dakshina Kannada-574323, have changed my name to **ABBAS DARIMI,** vide affidavit dated: 08.05.2023 before notary GANGARAJU .B.N., Bengaluru.

CHANGE OF NAME
I, **MANJUNATHA KARILINGAIAH** R/at New 23, Old No.2064/A, 8th Main, E Block, Rajajinagar, 2nd Stage Subramanyanagar, Bengaluru- 560010, have changed my name to **MANJUNATH KARILINGAIAH** vide affidavit dated: 8/5/2023 Before Notary **Sivakumar.M.N** Bangalore.

CHANGE OF NAME
I, (OLD NAME) ROOPA.K.C, W/o. Shiva Kumar, residing at No. 313/2, H.No. 9, 10th 'B' Cross, Yajaman Layout, Begur, Bangalore-560068, have changed my name from **(OLD NAME) ROOPA.K.C** to **(NEW NAME) ROOPA.S** vide affidavit Dated 03/05/2023 sworn before Notary B.V.Nagabhushana, Bangalore.

CHANGE OF NAME
I, **(OLD NAME) CHITRA** Spouse of NO JC- 313441N SUB P.EAKAMBARAM Residing at Anna Nagar (Vill), Kuppanatham (Post), Chengam (TK), Tiruvannamalai (Dist), TAMIL NADU (State), PIN: 606710, Have Changed My Name to **(NEW NAME) CHITRA EAKAMBARAM** Vide Affidavit Dated 04.05.2023 Sworn Before Notary MEER HASSAN BANGALORE.

CHANGE OF NAME
I, **S SHANTI,** LEGALLY WEDDED SPOUSE OF NO.15309828L, EX-SEP, SUBRAMANI.S, PRESENTLY RESIDING AT #1, 1ST FLOOR, SUGGATTA ROAD, 1ST CROSS, HUNSEMARANAHALLI POST, BENGALURU 562157 HAVE CHANGED MY NAME FROM **S SHANTI** TO **S SHANTHI** VIDE AFFIDAVIT DATED: 05/05/2023 SWORN BEFORE NOTARY **S.I.BALAGURU,** BENGALURU

AFFIDAVIT
I, **Sanjay .K @ Sanjay Krishna Murthy Reganti,** age 52 years, S/o Late Krishna Murthy T.L, R/at No. 309, 17th B Cross, 20th Main, 9th Block, Jayanagar, Bangalore-41 do hereby declare that my name is **SANJAY .K** (first name) and my father's name is **KRISNA MURTHY T.L,** and **"REGANTI"** which is my surname and both the names i.e. **SANJAY .K** or **SANJAY KRISHNA MURTHY REGANTI** are one and the same and refers to me only, vide affidavit dated 27th April 2023, sworn before Advocate and Notary **B. CHITRA** at Bangalore.

CHANGE OF NAME
I, **SUNIL**, son of Gandhi Ningappa resident of T M Q 135/4, Air Force Station, Jalahalli West, Bengaluru North – 560015, have changed my name from **SUNIL** to **SUNIL GANDHI**, vide Affidavit Dated 30-03-2023 Before Advocate and Notary **KUNDAN BABU,** Reg No. 20463 Bangalore Karnataka.

CHANGE OF NAME
I, **SANDYA BANGALORE SRINIVAS** R/at No.163, 11th Cross, Sri Venugopalakrishna Swamy Temple, Malleshwaram, Bengaluru- 560003, have changed my name to **SANDHYA BANGALORE SRINIVAS** vide affidavit dated: 8/5/2023 Before Notary **Sivakumar.M N** Bangalore.

CHANGE OF NAME
I, **ROHIT KUMAR** resident of SNCO Mess, HQTC, Indian Air Force, JC Nagar Post, Hebbal, Bengaluru-560006, Karnataka, have changed my son's Name from **SIDDHARTH KUMAR** to **SIDDHARTH CHAUDHARY** vide Affidavit dated: 09-05-2023 before Notary **N Peruvazhuthi,** Bengaluru.

CHANGE OF NAME
I, SERVICE NO. 15330000A L/NK S. MUTHUKUMARAN, of unit: DEPOT BN, MEG & CENTRE, BANGALORE, KARNATAKA STATE, PIN: 560042, Have Changed My Son Name **(OLD NAME) SURESH M** to **(NEW NAME) M SURESH,** Vide Affidavit Dated 21.04.2023 Sworn Before Notary MEER HASSAN BANGALORE.

CHANGE OF NAME
I, KAVITHA RUDRESH, Major, R/o No. 132, Bellikere Village, Muthasandra Post, Bengaluru-560 087, Karnataka do hereby declare that I have changed my name from **KAVITHA SHAGATHUR CHANDRASHEKAR** to **KAVITHA RUDRESH,** henceforth I shall be known and called as **KAVITHA RUDRESH** only for all purposes, vide affidavit dated 9th May 2023, sworn before Advocate and Notary **V. RAJASHEKHARA** at Bangalore.

CHANGE OF NAME
I, **NAGARATHNA** spouse of Gandhi Ningappa resident of T M Q 135/4, Air Force Station, Jalahalli West, Bengaluru North – 560015, have changed my name from **NAGARATHNA** to **NAGARATHNA GANDHI NINGAPPA,** vide Affidavit Dated 30-03-2023 Before Advocate and Notary **KUNDAN BABU,** Reg No. 20463 Bangalore Karnataka.

CHANGE OF NAME
I, **SUNDAR**, son of Gandhi Ningappa resident of T M Q 135/4, Air Force Station, Jalahalli West, Bengaluru North – 560015, have changed my name from **SUNDAR** to **SUNDER GANDHI NINGAPPA,** vide Affidavit Dated 30-03-2023 Before Advocate and Notary **KUNDAN BABU,** Reg No. 20463 Bangalore Karnataka.

CHANGE OF NAME
I, (OLD NAME) KANHAIYA, S/o. Amar Nath Pathak, residing at No. 301, Pyramid Carnations Apt, Residency School, Singanayakanahalli, Avalahalli, Bangalore-560064, have changed my name from **(OLD NAME) KANHAIYA** to **(NEW NAME) KANHAIYA PATHAK** vide affidavit Dated 03/05/2023 sworn before Notary B.V.Nagabhushana, Bangalore.

CHANGE OF NAME
I, DEEPTHI DEVADIGA, Aged about 43 years, W/o. Ravi Kiran Srivatsav, residing at Flat No 201, Nandi Classic Apartments, 1st Cross, 2nd Main, Behind Sky Line Apartments, Chandra Layout, Dwarakanagar, Vijayanagar, Bangalore 560040, have declared that the names **DEEPTHI DEVADIGA, DEEPTHI D DEVADIGA and DEEPTHI DHARMAPPA DEVADIGA,** belongs to me only, and all names belongs to one and the same person, and the same is declared vide affidavit dated 06-05-2023 sworn before Advocate & Notary UDAY KUMAR.K, Bengaluru

CHANGE OF NAME
I,**NANDAKISHOREBHARGAV KAMRATH** S/o VENKATARAMAIAH KAMRATH GANESHAIAH, aged 35 years, Resiciing at No. 1079, Soppina Beedi, Annayappa Layout, Kandavarpet, Chikballapur - 562101, have changed my name from **NANDAKISHOREBHARGAV KAMRATH VENKATARAMAIAH** to **NANDAKISHOREBHARGAV KAMRATH,** vide affidavit dated 09/05/2023 sworn before Ravi advocate and notary Bangalore

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CHANGE OF NAME
I, **RITIKA GODHWANI** R/at Flat No.15/1, 1FA, Symbiosis Laxmi Apartment, Lakshmi Main Road, Shanthinagar, Wilson Garden, Bengaluru-560027, have changed my name to **RITIKA AHUJA** vide affidavit dated: 9/5/2023 Before Notary **Vatsala** Bangalore.

CHANGE OF NAME
I,**REKHA BHAJANTRI** D/O DAYANAND (DOB:11-11-1996) residing at #220/3, Behind Anjeneya Temple Bettahalasur, Bangalore, Karnataka-562157, have changed my name from **REKHA BHAJANTRI** to **REKHA D BAJANTRI,** vide affidavit dated 9/5/2023 sworn to before S R Ravikumar advocate and notary Bangalore

CHANGE OF NAME
We, **Deepak Edward Joseph** aged about 42 years S/O Henry Joseph and **Mangalamari P**, aged about 39 years W/O Deepak Edward Joseph, residents of 401/ Sri Nidhi paradise, 1st stage 1st block behind Narayana PU college, HBR layout, North kalyananagar, Bengaluru, Karnataka 560043, we have changed our son's name from **SHAUN VLADIMIR D** to **SHAUN JASON**, vide affidavit dated 25/4/2023 sworn to before S. Vijayakumar advocate and notary Bangalore

CHANGE OF NAME
I, **G. Venkatesh** S/o Late E Gangaiah, residing at No. 115/20, Ground Floor, 12th Cross, Koramangala 1st Block, Venkatapura, Bengaluru–560034 hereby solemnly declare and affirm that I have changed my name from **G. Ellaiyan to G. VENKATESH** vide affidavit dated 10.05.2013 sworn before Notary V. Rajashekhara, Janapriya Township, Magadi Main Road, Bengaluru.
Place : Bangalore
Date : 09.05.2023

CHANGE OF NAME
I, (OLD NAME) RAJAN, residing at Flat No. 11, Shirdi Sai Concord Heights, N.Nagenahalli, Krishnappa Layout, K.Narayanapura, Bangalore-560077, have changed my name from **(OLD NAME) RAJAN** to **(NEW NAME) B.RAJAN** vide affidavit Dated 09/05/2023 sworn before Notary K.C.Shashikala, Bangalore.

CHANGE OF NAME
I **Triveni Patil** W\o Praveen Kumar Goudar, aged about 39 years, residing at Basava Prabhe, 7th Cross, Behind Tapovan, Jai Maruthi Nagar, Alur, Bangalore North, Bangalore - 562 123, do hereby I, declare that my name on my SSLC cerificate (SSLC Register No.469891) is mentioned as **Triveni Patil,** on my husband passport (Passport No.NO101589) it is as **Veena Praveen Kumar Goudar,** Wherever written in SSLC certificate & Passport all are the same person who is me. vide Affidavit dated 04.05.2023 sworn before Notary Chandrakala, Bangalore.

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MEGHA SHETTY
TO BID ADIEU TO TELEVISION TO CONCENTRATE ON FILM CAREER

The actor has *Kaiva* and *After Operation London Cafe* at different stages of production

A SHARADHAA

MEGHA Shetty is feeling sentimental as she prepares to shoot her final scenes for the popular TV serial, *Jothe Jotheyalli*. The actor, who became a household name with this family drama, directed by Aroor Jagadish, is set to say goodbye to the television serial and small screen. "My four-year journey with *Jothe Jotheyalli* is coming to an end. I had a close bond with the entire crew, and it almost felt like a second family,' says Megha Shetty, who adds that her teleserial journey taught her a lot and gave her the break she needed in films. She also thanked her fans for their huge support in this journey.

Megha is bidding farewell to small screen to concentrate on her film career. After making her debut in *Tribble Riding* with Ganesh, Megha went on to star in *Dil Pasand* with Krishna. Now, she is awaiting the release of Dhanveerrah's *Kaiva*, directed by Jayathirta, and is wrapping up the final schedule of *After Operation London Cafe*, featuring Kaveesh Shetty as the lead, and directed by Sravan Raghavendra.

Furthermore, Megha shares that she's currently in discussions with several filmmakers and has some exciting projects lined up. "Now that the serial is over, I can focus solely on cinema. I'm hearing lots of interesting narrations from different filmmakers, and it's just a matter of finalising what's best for me from the lot."

Megha Shetty

Debutant Richie takes on multiple roles in his first film

The shooting of the suspense thriller was recently wrapped up, and the first song will be released on May 18

A still from the film

CE FEATURES

THE shooting of filmmaker Hemanth Kumar's upcoming film, *Richie*, has been wrapped up. Billed to be a suspense thriller with a strong love story at its core, the film as Hemanth playing the titular character, and backing the project. Interestingly, after directing, producing, and acting in *Richie*, Hemanth has even changed his screen name to Richie.

"Filmmaking has become an adventure, and I enjoy taking multiple responsibilities. With *Richie*, I have realised my long-pending dream of entering the world of cinema," says Richie, who is excited to release the first song from the movie on May 18.

The director has brought back the renowned singer Kunal Ganjawala for the song, which has lyrics by Ghoush Peer, and composed by Agastya Santhosh.

Richie, which stars Ramola as the female lead, has cinematography by Ajith Kumar and editing by Arjun Kitty. The film boasts an impressive team of technicians, including stunt directors Thriller Manju and Different Danny, and senior dance choreographers Chinni Prakash, Dhananjaya, and Bhushan.

The *Richie* team is expected to announce the film's release date following the release of the first song.

Richie with Kunal Ganjawala

Tale of unsung heroes

CHANDHINI R

FOR filmmaker Sankalp Reddy, who is gearing up for the release of the Vidyut Jammwal-starrer *IB 71* on May 12, intriguing true incidents and historically significant events seem to serve as the primary inspiration for his films.

While Sankalp's debut film *Ghazi* (2017) was based on a naval battle between India and Pakistan, his sophomore film, *Antariksham 9000 KMPH*, was inspired by an Indian satellite getting lost in the moon's orbit. "I like to tell stories and true incidents that not many know of. *IB 71* is also one such incident that is worth knowing. It is based on a landmark operation by the spies of the Intelligence Bureau who managed to lock the Indian air space, outsmart Pakistani establishments, and restrict their airplanes from flying over India. It lead to the nation's victory in the 1971 war."

He also shares that it was Vidyut who reached out to him with the idea of *IB 71* after watching *Ghazi*. "When I heard the storyline, I was intrigued. While *IB 71* happened sometime in January-February in 1971, the *Ghazi* attack took place in December same year. So I thought it could be an unofficial prequel to *Ghazi*. " he adds.

While Vidyut is known for doing action films like the Commando franchise and Khuda Haafiz, Sankalp notes that the upcoming film will show the actor in a new light. "I learnt that during this operation, not even a single bullet was fired. And hence, the idea was to make his character as believable and real as possible. So his behaviour is composed and he does not go around hitting 30-40 people. It is more of a mind game," he adds.

While Sankalp asserts that he took creative liberties in weaving a story around the satellite incident for Antharishkham, he had to predominately stick to the facts for *IB 71*. "As part of the research, we took references from news articles of that time and interacted with people related to the incident. I did take some cinematic liberties for *IB 71*, but most of the scenes are based on the facts that were mentioned in reference materials. This way, I believe the film could be both entertaining and informative," he shares.

Stating that they shot through erratic climatic conditions–extreme cold weather in Kashmir during winters and peak summer in Maharashtra's Lathur, Sankalp recalls that it was one of the most challenging aspects of the filming process.

Sankalp asserts that *IB 71* will be an ode to unsung heroes, and their untold stories. "The greatest victory for an undercover agent is anonymity. It also means they don't get the public recognition they deserve. I feel it is essential for us to remember them for their contribution to the nation, and through films like this, I hope I could tell the stories of these real heroes," he signs off.

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CINEMA WITHOUT BORDERS

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Film: Return to Seoul

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THERE'S a moment in Davy Chou's *Return to Seoul* when the protagonist Freddie, a 25-year-old South Korean girl adopted and raised in France, hears her birth name for the first time. It's Yeon Hee, which means docile and joyous. A name that is a far cry from her mercurial, impulsive, and stubborn personality. She wants to trace her roots and reconnect with her biological parents. All she has of them is a photograph of herself as a child with a woman, possibly her mother. *Return to Seoul* takes the audience along on her quest, which also turns out to be about revisiting her own inner self.

Perhaps it's her origin that makes her footloose, free-spirited, detached, and inscrutable. She is there in a roomful of people and yet not quite. *Return to Seoul* is a penetrating character study of impetuousness, unpredictability, and an accompanying vulnerability. Then there are the broader concerns that jostle alongside Freddie's personal soul-searching—the themes of parenting and family, legacies and inheritances, nature and nurture, and home and belonging. Giving her away for adoption might have been for her own greater good but her father hasn't quite reconciled with the guilt and regrets. There's an estranged mother from whom she seems to have acquired the chaotic spirit that defines her. Every birthday she wonders if her mother ever thinks of her.

The broader identity issue plays along with the interpersonal drama. Freddie looks like one of their own to her newfound South Korean friends. However, she is very much French. As one sees her hanging out with them in the local café, unaware of the social customs and graces, the essential predicament shines through—to belong and yet be an alien. Her father wants her to come and stay at home with him but it's she who must remind him that she is French now. Freddie's very persona is a battleground of identities, constantly getting renegotiated and redefined, getting disjoined and integrating by turn.

Interestingly the hyphenated identity issue goes beyond the screen. The film itself is a co-production of Cambodia, France, Belgium, Germany, South Korea, Romania and Qatar and it speaks in three languages—French, English and Korean. Its maker Chou is a French-Cambodian filmmaker. The film draws from the true story of his friend, Laure Baduf le, a French adoptee of South Korean descent. Moreover, the lead actor Park Ji-min had herself moved to France from South Korea at the age of eight. No wonder she steals the show with her unaffected, fresh, and power-packed performance in her acting debut. Giving her company are the very accomplished and extremely popular actors Oh Kwang-rok and Kim Sun-young as her biological father and aunt respectively.

The film begins in the cinema verite style, seemingly unscripted and impromptu. Gradually, the predicaments and perplexity of the situation add layers of drama and lend the narrative a rare density of complex emotions without ever resorting to sentimentality. The soundtrack plays an important role, its jaggedness underscoring the edginess and tumult of Freddie's life and relationships. There are no resolutions when it comes to her. It's all about the unsteadiness and volatility of being and belonging with a beautiful melody to hold on to in the end.

Return to Seoul will be coming soon on Mubi.

Present Prapancha 0% Love to hit theatres this week

CE FEATURES

PRESENT Prapancha's 0% Love, a romantic thriller, written and directed by Abhiraam, is scheduled to release on May 12. The movie portrays the lifestyle of a modern couple, and their pertinent issues balancing comedy with a psychological drama.

The film's production was completed during the pandemic, and unfortunately, the team lost one of their lead actors Arjun Manjunath, and director Abhiraam, who died of Covid.

The romantic thriller is jointly produced by Krishnamurthy L and Ravi Kumar HP, and stars Yashas Abhi Sambrama Sree, Om Prakash Rao, S Narayan, Tabla Nani, Sanjana Anand, Chandan Achar, and Govinda Gowda.

The film's music is by KV Ravichandra, and Eshwari Suresh has done the cinematography.